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RUEF'S FOLLOWERS HAD MASS MEETING

Curly Haired Boss Denied Everything and Resolutions were Passed

CITIZENS' ALLIANCE AND SPRING VALLEY WATER COMPANY SAID TO BE IN COLLUSION TO DISRUPT CITY GOVERNMENT—CHARGES MADE AGAINST RELIEF COMMITTEE—LANGDON GAINED TEMPORARY VICTORY—PHELAN PREDICTS VIGILANTES.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 31.—About 3000 people tonight attended a mass meeting of municipal employes at the Dreamland skating rink, including nearly all of the city officials and prominent labor leaders.

The purpose of the meeting, as stated by Supervisor Daniel G. Coleman, who presided, was "to form a permanent organization to combat the false, malicious, unwarranted attacks of the daily press."

Not to Protect Criminals.

"The purpose is not," declared he, "to protect criminals that may be among our number; on the contrary, it is the purpose to prosecute any man guilty of crime who may be among us, but we will condemn no man until he has been tried and convicted."

As popular members of the administration arrived, they were enthusiastically cheered. Abraham Ruef was given an ovation.

Among the speakers were Thomas P. Egan, James A. Devoto, election commissioner; President Duffy of the board of works, Police Commissioner Heggerty and others. Acting Mayor Gallagher, Sheriff O'Neil and other city and county officials occupied seats on the platform.

An Organized Conspiracy.

All the speakers denounced the newspapers and declared that the present charges and investigation into alleged corruption was the result of a conspiracy between the Spring Valley Water company and the Citizens' Alliance to disrupt the labor organizations and get control of the administration.

Langdon, who was called the "Benedict Arnold of San Francisco," and Heney, "the man from Arizona," were hissed and defied.

Ruef Denied Everything.

Ruef was the principal speaker of the evening. He denounced the press for its attacks upon him and the administration; defied Heney and Langdon; assured his audience that he was guiltless of the charges of graft, and that there was no proof to the contrary; made an attack upon W. R. Hearst, whom he declared to be no longer the friend of the working man, and promised that after the election he would punish those who were assailing him. Ruef was frequently applauded.

A committee of fifty was appointed to organize the Municipal League of San Francisco. It was claimed that over 12,000 names had been turned in tonight.

Resolution Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted by the meeting:

"Resolved, That this organization denounces the false and malicious attacks upon the municipal government, and hereby calls attention to the fact that these unwarranted attacks and reports are not only hurting the fair name of the community, but are discouraging our citizens, driving away capital, retarding the construction of buildings and interfering with the development and growth of our city.

"Resolved, That we condemn wastefulness and extravagance in the distribution of the relief funds and deploro the fact that such an enormous amount of money has found its way in the pockets of favored employes and friends of the millionnires, who have in charge said relief funds. Further, that we now urgently request Mr. Rudolph Spreckels, Mr. James D. Phelan and others, having in charge the distribution of the relief funds, to cease the establishment and maintenance of a graft system for political purposes, whereby a large organization of favored and petted employes is absorbing the money which rightfully belongs to the needy and necessitious people of this city for food and shelter."

Victory for Heney.

Superior Judge Seawell today issued an alternative writ of prohibition, restraining Acting Mayor Gallagher and the Board of Supervisors from making any further attempts to remove District Attorney Langdon. The writ is returnable November 9th at 10 a. m.

In obtaining this writ, the anti-Ruef forces have gained an important temporary advantage, as it will be impossible for the executive to interfere with the district attorney until the hearing, and it is possible that the writ may then be made peremptory.

Grand Jury Proceedings.

The inquiry into the eligibility of the men called to serve as grand jurors was continued today before Judge Graham in the Superior court. Although the crowd in attendance was much less than on previous days, a detail of about forty policemen was present to preserve order.

Assistant District Attorney Heney renewed his objection to George L. Dealey, a saloonkeeper, on the ground that his name was not on the assessment roll.

S. M. Shortridge, on behalf of Abraham Ruef, attempted to show that Dealey had paid taxes on personal property, but Heney contended that this did not apipear in the records of the tax collector's office, and that these records constituted the best evidence regarding the matter.

Extended arguments ensued during which it was asserted that the record wanted had been destroyed in the great fire.

Dealey Discharged.

Judge Graham decided that Dealey having made an effort to qualify as a grand juror in the early part of the year, was subject to the ruling made in the case of S. H. Daniels yesterday and therefore he was discharged from service.

Dealey protested against the order of discharge. He said he had never supported any political party. He denied being a saloonkeeper, saying that though he held the lease of a saloon his business was that of a real estate dealer.

A long argument by Attorney Shortridge involving the right of the people to challenge the jurors, consumed the remainder of the afternoon and court adjourned to tomorrow at 2 o'clock.

Langdon Would Not Answer.

On the ground that an attempt was being made to learn the secrets of the prosecution against the alleged grafters, District Attorney Langdon today refused to answer certain questions put to him by counsel for Abraham Ruef when summoned to give his deposition before Notary Public Knox. Langdon was called in the injunction suit brought by Langdon restraining Ruef from acting as district attorney, to which place he was appointed when the board of supervisors ousted Langdon last Thursday night.

Henry Ach, representing Ruef, endeavored to show that Langdon had never seen the complaint until after it was presented to Superior Judge Seawell on Friday morning. His questions also attempted to bring out that the complaint was presented to the judge and the restraining order issued as early as 5 o'clock Friday morning, whereas the county clerk's office was not opened until 9 o'clock and the complaint was not filed until that time.

Left the Office.

When asked if he was familiar with the issues of the complaint, which sets forth that felony charges were to be presented against Ruef, Langdon refused toanswer, and together with his attorney, Hiram Johnson, left the office of Notary Public Knox. Langdon claims he was justified in his position because there was an apparent effort to learn some of the evidence against Ruef now in Langdon's possession.

Cited By Seawell.

Late in the afternoon, Ruef's attorney obtained Superior Judge Seawell's signature to an order, returnable Friday morning, which cites Langdon to appear in court and show cause why he should not be adjudged in contempt. The contempt proceedings will be based on two charges: First, that the district attorney refused to answer questions put to him, and second, that he left the notary's office before the taking of deposition was finished.

Phelan Predicts Vigilantes.

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Oct. 31—Former Mayor of San Francisco James D. Phelan's address before the University assembly today was a scathing denunciation of municipal corruption in San Francisco and the bitter words of the speaker were wildly applauded by the students.

The speaker predicted a resort to the methods of the vigilantes if graft in San Francisco is not soon put at an end.

WILD FIGHT WITH POLICE

El Paso Man and Paramour Were Killed.

Had Murdered His Wife, Who Found Him in Other Woman's Company.

EL PASO, Oct. 31.—Three bodies are in the morgue and two injured persons in a hospital as the result of a murder here this afternoon followed by an exchange of shots between the murderer and policemen.

Manuel Rodriguez killed his wife when she found him in company with another woman. Rodriguez and Chana Ramiera, the woman with him, were killed, and City Detective George Harold, wounded, in the fight that ensued. The fire department was called out and dispersed the excited crowd that had collected by pouring water on it from a hose.

After shooting his wife, Rodriguez, who was a restaurant keeper, barricaded himself in his place of business and when the officers arrived he met them with a volley from a magazine revolver. The entire police force was summoned and a number of the citizens joined in the fight against Rodriguez. After a battle of nearly an hour, the police succeeded in entering the building. Rodriguez was found dead, bullets having pierced his body in three places.

Jack Glover, a negro boy, was wounded, being shot through the body by a stray bullet, while walking on another street fifty yards from the scene of the shooting. He cannot recover. It is believed that several hundred shots were fired before the officers finally attempted to gain admittance to the restaurant.

WALKER RESERVATION NOT TO BE RE-OPENED

No Law Was Violated By "Sooners" and They Cannot Therefore Be Punished.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—Further reports from agents of the interior department who superintend the opening on Monday of the Walker Lake Indian reservation in Nevada, have convinced Secretary Hitchcock that the infractions of the regulations governing the opening were not serious enough to warrant a recommendation in favor of invalidating it. This decision is considered fortunate by officials of the land office, as the law officers of the department have expressed the opinion that regardless of the action of "sooners" in crossing the line before the signal, the act of congress ordering that the reservation be thrown open to settlement had not been violated.

That act did not prescribe that persons should not enter the reservation in advance of the signal, and there is no law under which they may be punished. If authority had been given the interior department, it is said that Commissioner Richards would have provided for registration, as was done in August, when the Shoshone reservation was opened.

Special Land Agent Parks has reported from Hawthorne that there has been less complaint than he had expected and that already a town of 2000 population, with restaurants, gambling houses and saloons, has been established at the mouth of Dutchman's Creek.

Coughed Up a Buckshot.

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 31.—In a violent fit of coughing, shortly before his death at St. Vincent's hospital today, H. L. Mills, an Oregon pioneer of 1876 and a nephew of General Robert E. Lee, commander of the Confederate army, raised from his lung a buckshot that he had carried in his body since the Civil war when, as a member of the Fifteenth New York engineer corps, he fought against the army commanded by his mother's brother.

AWFUL TRIP BY AERONAUT

Balloon Went Up Minus the Basket.

Soared 5000 Feet With Him in the Ropes—Suffered Little Injury.

AUGUSTA, Ga., Oct. 31.—Dr. Julian P. Thomas of New York today made here a most daring ascension in his balloon Nirvana.

Owing to the location of the fair grounds being some distance from the city, the bag had to be inflated some miles away, and it was intended to tow it to the grounds up the canal. The stream proved too narrow and the bag caught in trees and was damaged. Dr. Thomas clambered into the network and cut away the entangled basket. He arose like a shot, traveling in a southerly direction to an estimated height of 5000 feet.

When several miles from Augusta the valve, which had been damaged Monday and had been patched, began leaking, and the aeronaut shot downward rapidly. He endeavored to lighten the ship by cutting off his shoes and heavy leather leggings and threw away his coat and the contents of his pockets. The descent was but little checked, and he came down in the middle of a cotton field.

The balloon then started across the field, dragging Dr. Thomas nearly a quarter of a mile before he could extricate himself. He was badly scratched and lacerated, but not seriously injured.

GEORGIA DAUGHTERS OF THE CONFEDERACY

Have Been Antagonized and Abused for Erecting Monument to Major Wirz.

AMERICUS, Ga., Oct. 31—At the annual meeting of the Georgia division, United Daughters of the Confederacy, today, a report of Mrs. A. B. Hull, of Savannah, the president, who last year inaugurated the plan to erect a monument to Major Henry Wirz, the Andersonville prison keeper, was read, in which she speaks of opposition to the plan in some sections as follows:

"There was never any subject undertaken by our society that has met with such widespread interest, such loyal support and such violent antagonism. The latter has taken the wildest form, indulged in the most insane abuse, not sparing in anywise the women of the Georgia division or the South in general, and we have answered never a word, but have simply gone and proved our case and mean to establish the truth forever, when we unveil our monument.

"A campaign of education it has verily been, for I do not believe any of us know how ignorant we were of the history of that period until we went into this matter, as we have been obliged to do, in order to give an answer for the faith that was in us."

Mrs. Hull also recommends that a picture of Winnie Davis be placed in the dormity of the Reburn Gay industrial school, which is conducted by the Daughters, as a memorial to both Mrs. Jefferson Davis and the Daughters of the Confederacy.

Killed by Escaping Steam.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 31.—Five persons were scalded to death by a column of escaping steam from a broken boiler in a sugar house near Vacherie, La., yesterday.

KAUFMAN'S FIGHT IN TENTH

Heavyweight Mill in Bay City Resulted in Sam Berger's Defeat After a Milling.

CONTEST WAS MARKED BY FIERCE ONSLAUGHTS

Beaten Man Had Only One Chance to Win and That Was in the Third Round When Kaufman Took Count

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 31—Al Kaufman gave Sam Berger an awful beating tonight and when Berger was practically out his seconds threw up the sponge in the tenth round. Only once did Berger seem to have a chance. That was in the third round. At the opening of the round he dropped Kaufman with a right to the jaw. Kaufman stayed down nine seconds. Berger floored him again with a left to the same place. Again Kaufman took the count of nine, and was up fighting. In a clinch, Berger threw him to the mat again, but Kaufman came up strong and fought back hard.

In the second round, Kaufman landed with his right on Berger's jaw and floored him. Berger stayed down nine seconds and came up groggy, but managed to last through the round.

After the third round, Kaufman fought in close and did damaging work with right and left upper-cuts that Berger apparently could not avoid. In the last few rounds he grew steadily weaker. His legs wobbled and his blows lacked steam. Occasionally he would stand up and swing, but he seldom landed. All the time Kaufman was boring in and upper-cutting in the clinches. In the ninth round Berger went down for the count with a right to the jaw. He got up, and Kaufman slugged him all through the rest of the round.

When the tenth round opened, Kaufman went at his man and very soon sent him into a state of helplessness. Berger could not hold up his hands or hend, and was just about to fall to the floor when his secondh threw up the sponge.

Round No. 1.

The first round was Berger's. He displayed much cleverness in blocking and also got in several blows on Kaufman's face and head.

Round No. 2.

In the second round, Kaufman had a big advantage. He landed two body blows that greatly distressed Berger. Once he sent Berger to his haunches for the count of five, with a left swing to the jaw.

Round No. 3.

In round three they mixed it, and Berger like a flash, hooked his right to the jaw and sent Kaufman down like a log. He took the count of eight and when he arose Berger was at him like a mad man. He landed several rights and lefts to the jaw, and then wrestled Kaufman to the floor. Kaufman took the count. He came up groggy, but was willing to mix. Kaufman was very weak and felt to the floor from sheer weakness. He took the count of nine. As he arose, Berger swung right and left to the face, but his blows were weak, and he, too, appeared tired from his efforts. Kaufman winked to his seconds, as if to indicate that he was shamming. He showed wonderful recuperative ability. However, it was Berger's round.

Round No. 4.

In round four, Kaufman crouched low and they went in close, Berger landing right and left to the jaw. Kaufman put a right to the face and then sent his right to the body. Their blows lacked steam. The men clinched frequently and were boxing wearily as the bell rang. Kaufman was the stronger as they went to their chairs. It was a tame round, with even honors.

Round No. 5.

In round five Berger, after receiving two upper-cuts at close range, got his right hard to the body and followed it with a left to the jaw. Berger landed right and left swings to the face and Kaufman missed a terrific right upper-cut for the jaw. Kaufman upper-cut with left to the jaw and a clinch followed. Berger sent a straight left to the jaw and clipped his right to the jaw. A rally followed, and Kaufman upper-cut Berger with telling effect several times. Berger slowed up and his blows were weak in comparison with his earlier ones.

Round No. 6.

In round six, Kaufman planted a powerful right to the head. As they broke from a clinch, Berger landed right and left to the face with terrific force, sending Kaufman against the ropes and bringing the blood from his nose. Berger, after stalling, sent Kaufman's head back with a straight left over the mouth. Previous to this Kaufman had landed two powerful upper-cuts to the jaw at close range. It was Berger's round.

Round No. 7.

In round seven, both landed hard blows to the body and face, Kaufman doing the better work. They clinched and Kaufman landed several wicked upper-cuts to the jaw. Berger swung right and left hard to the jaw, but Kaufman ruined his lefts and right swings to the body and face and forced Berger to the ropes. Both fighters slowed down and Berger seemed content to stall. Honors were practically even in this round.

Round No. 8.

Kaufman sent a light left to the face and swung right and left to the jaw with terrific force. He cut loose with a volley of right and left swings to the jaw, forcing Berger to cover and stall. A rally followed, both landing some terrific whops to the jaw. Berger staled again and appeared very weak. Kaufman waded in, trying to land a vital blow, but Berger tottered about and clung desperately to his man. He seemed to be all gone, but answering the call to "swing" from his corner, swung right and left to the jaw. It was only a flash in the pan, however, for Berger weakened perceptibly and as the bell sounded he fell to the floor from weakness. Kaufman had a big lead.

Round No. 9.

Berger appeared weak as he came up and quickly sought refuge at close quarters. Suddenly, he swung his right to the jaw, sending Kaufman back to the ropes. They mixed it in the middle of the ring, each landing left and right swings. Kaufman, however, timed his blows with better precision, and speedily had Berger clinging to him. Kaufman sent Berger to the floor for the count with a right swing. He came up gamely but was almost helpless. Kaufman, weakened by his efforts, could not land the knock-out punch. Berger staggered about the ring, with Kaufman peppering his face at will. Blood flowed from his nose and mouth. Kaufman was unable to land a vital blow. It looked as if Berger could not last another round.

Round No. 10.

Kaufman was up quickly and Berger rushed to a clinch. Kaufman drove a powerful right to the jaw and Berger, almost blinded, swung two hard blows to the jaw. His seconds yelled frantically for him to swing, which he did with effect. The effort weakened him, however. Berger tottered around, unable to protect himself, and was falling to the mat from sheer weakness, when his seconds mercifully threw up the sponge.

A TEACHER'S BRAVE DEED

Young Woman's Wit Saved Panic in a School.

Made Children Form in Line When Fire Started in a Basement.

ARGENTINE, Kas., Oct. 31.—The presence of mind of Gertrude Williams, teacher of the seventh grade in the Emerson public school here, prevented a panic and probably loss of life when she forced the children in her room to march from the building in order, instead of rushing out pell mell when an alarm of fire was given.

The furnace had set fire to the rafters in the basement and when smoke began to roll into Miss Williams' room the children made a dash for the door. The teacher promptly stepped ahead of the frightened children, blocking the doorway, and, raising her pointer threateningly, gave the command "Form in line."

The children forced her against the door jam and she was severely bruised, but stood her ground. After a moment's hesitation, the children, remembering their fire drill, obeyed.

"Here, Ernest," cried the teacher, "you go down stairs and beat the drum while we march out in order."

Ernest Maxson, 15 years old, who beats the drum for the drill every day, ran to do her bidding. He beat it steadily, in perfect time, while the 538 pupils and teachers from the various rooms marched down the stairs and out of the building.

The fire drill was adopted after the burning of the Iroquis theater in Chicago.

"HOLY GHOST" SECT MAY BE INVESTIGATED

Citizens of Maine Ask the Governor to Ascertain Facts About Shiloh.

PORTLAND, Me., Oct. 31.—A petition is being circulated and numerously signed, asking the governor to investigate conditions at the Holy Ghost community at Shiloh. It is as follows:

"In view of the persistent and seemingly well authenticated reports of gross evils existing in the Sanford community at Shiloh, resulting in suffering and injury to members of the community, and especially little children, we, the undersigned citizens of Maine, respectfully petition your excellency, if at all possible, to take such measures as your wisdom may dictate, to ascertain the exact facts and abate the evils."

FINE COACH HORSES BOUGHT BY PRESIDENT

Perfectly Matched, Mahogany Colored, Sixteen Hands High, of Woodbine Stock.

NEW YORK, Oct. 31. A despatch from Baltimore to the Times says that President Roosevelt recently bought a pair of fine coach horses in the West. The animals passed through Baltimore last night.

The animals are excellently matched. They are half-brothers, five years old, bay geldings, mahogany in color and sixteen hands high. They are sired in Michigan by Woodlane, by Nutwood, the mother being French Cochin stock. They were raised together and have never been separated. They will be driven exclusively to the president's coach.

A DAY'S EVENTS IN NEW YORK CONTEST

Hearst and Hughes Winding up Their Canvass In Up-State Towns

CROKER IS OPPOSED TO HEARST—CHAIRMAN WOODRUFF SAYS HUGHES WILL COME TO THE BRONX WITH PLURALITY OF 200,000—HEARST APPEALED TO JUDGE AGAINST ELECTION BOARD — BIG REWARDS OFFERED FOR FRAUD DETECTION.

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—With election day less than a week away, the two candidates for governor of New York are making their last speeches to the up-state voters and tomorrow will see both Hughes and Hearst headed toward New York, where the final arguments will be made. Their last swing around the circle has been made under adverse weather conditions, and both are voice-worn from frequent outdoor speaking. But neither rain nor snow has dampened the enthusiasm of the crowds that have gathered everywhere to greet them.

The Candidates' Tours.

Today Hughes began his day's tour from Oswego, where he spoke last night, and his train tonight reached Syracuse. Tomorrow, he will close his day at Schenectady and thence will return to New York for the final series of meetings.

Hearst started from Rochester this morning for Niagra Falls. Snow and rain fell all along the line and his failing voice obliged him to discontinue outdoor speaking. Tonight he appeared at five meetings at Buffalo and tomorrow night he will be in New York city.

Bryan Men Desert Hearst.

The Bryan Democratic League of New York tonight sent out an official statement which says that, while it is making every effort to elect the state and local tickets, it is doing all it can to defeat Hearst.

"Mr. Bryan's friends, who are deserting Hearst by the thousands," says the statement "do not feel that they are losing their party regularity, as they consider Mr. Hearst himself to be the chief adept in the art of bolting."

Ballots May Be Late.

There is doubt in the minds of the members of the election board whether the ballots for Tuesday's election can be printed in time. Never before has so short a time been allowed the printers to get out the enormous amount of work before them and it was admitted early this morning, when the decision of the court of appeals was received, that only by the exertion of every energy could the ballots be in the voting places when the polls open on Tuesday morning.

The actual work of printing is a big task. There must be printed 3,000,000 ballots and they are to be divided among 1,487 election districts. Every one of them must be in the hands of the inspectors in each district before the polls open on Tuesday morning.

Croker Favors Hughes.

State Senator Patrick H. McCarren, leader of the Democratic party organization in Brooklyn, who is opposing Hearst, today gave out a copy of the following cablegram:

"Dundrum, Ireland.

"McCarren, Jefferson building, Brooklyn.

"Congratulate you on manly stand you have taken, win or lose.

(Signed) RICHARD CROKER."

McCarren said he expects Croker to return to the United States as soon as election is over.

"Will he take any active part in political affairs?"

"I do not know," replied the senator.

To Croker's cable, McCarren replied: "Thanks for cablegram. May I use it?" The answer was: "You may publish message."

McCarren has consistently opposed W. R. Hearst since the Buffalo convention. Crokers first cablegram was received by Senator McCarren, October 27th.

Hearsts Old Cry.

W. R. Hearst appealed directly to Judge Otto A. Rosalsky, of the Court of General Sessions today, to take vigorous criminal action against the board of elections of this city for alleged criminal negligence in failing to prevent the loss or destruction of petitions filed with the board to nominate candidates of the Independence League. Judge Rosalsky at once consulted District Attorney Jerome, and together they decided to present the facts to the grand jury. Hearst's letter to Judge Rosalsky was accompanied by several affidavits.

Magistrate Chosen.

District Attorney Jerome, when seen after his conference with Judge Rosalsky, said: "Judge Rosalsky called upon me this afternoon, with reference to the apparent theft of petitions of the board of elections, with the request that the matter go before the grand jury. He brought affidavits to me regarding the alleged thefts and after a conference it was decided to submit the case to a magistrate, as the inquiry may involve an extended examination.

"I therefore requested Magistrate Whitman, who is not at present sitting in court, to sit and entertain these charges, if charges they may be. If it is possible to draw the necessary papers, the matter will be submitted to Magistrate Whitman tomorrow."

Hearst Offers Rewards.

Rewards totalling $50,000 are offered by Hearst for evidence of frauds on Tuesday night. The rewards were announced today by the Democratic state committee.

Tammany Colonizing.

"It may interest the public," said Chairman Woodruff of the Republican state committee, "that within an hour I was handed a letter from a prominent man in this city who says that Tammany Hall has been discovered at its old trick of colonization. I referred the matter to the state superintendent of elections."

Republican Hopefulness.

William Barnes Jr., former chairman of the executive committee of the Republican state committee, said today concerning the result of the Republican canvass by the committee:

"Governor Higgins' plurality above the Bronx was 160,000. I have not found anything to indicate a loss from that vote in more than thirty out of the 3000 election districts. My impression is that Mr. Hughes will come down to the Bronx with more than 200,000 plurality."

Max F. Ihmsen, campaign manager for the Independence League, said with reference to Barns' claim:

"Of course Mr. Barns was joking. He knows as well as I do that every county in the state shows heavy Republican losses and that in every county in the state Hughes will lose many hundreds of votes and that Republican counties that have not gone Democratic in twenty years will give a majority for Hearst."

ADMIRAL CASEY ON BRITISH NAVY

Hopes Congress Will Be Allowed to Make Appropriations to Build More Vessels.

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—Rear Admiral Silas Casey, who has been abroad for two years with his family, returned yesterday. The admiral said that the new British battleship Dreadnaught had created considerable stir in naval circles.

"I hope the people of the United States will give support to congress to pass the necessary bill to add such ships to our navy," said the admiral. When asked how the American navy compared with that of Great Britain from a fighting point of view, Admiral Casey said that we did not mind two to one, but five to one might prove a little too much.

SNATCHED FROM DEATH AT ITS VERY PORTALS

Recovery of Man Who Apparently Succumbed to Heart Failure Was Miraculous.

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—The breath having left his body and his heart pulseless, Harry Beebe, of South Millville, N. J., was revived by three physicians Monday and yesterday was able to tell how it feels to be on the verge of death.

Beebe was stricken with heart failure and when Doctors Wade, Miller and Jones arrived life seemed to be extinct. One of the physicians noticed a slight twitch of one of the muscles of the man's face, and they at once resorted to a hypodermedication. Artificial respiration was produced and slowly, but surely, the man returned to life and is now on a fair road to recovery. The medical men regard the result of their efforts as almost miraculous.

METCALF IS IN OAKLAND

Will at Once Begin Work of Investigation.

Administration Considers the Japanese School Question Very Important.

OAKLAND, Oct. 31.—Secretary Victor H. Metcalf, of the department of commerce and labor, arrived from Washington tonight and will remain here with relatives until tomorrow when he will proceed to San Francisco, where he will begin his inquiry into the action of the San Francisco board of education in excluding Japanese and other orientals from regular schools and assigning them to schools set apart for the children of the yellow races. To an Associated Press correspondent Secretary Metcalf said:

"I am not at liberty to talk concerning my mission on the coast except to say that the administration considers this subject one of the gravest importance. Certainly, I would not have been sent here to investigate and report were it not so considered.

"Our treaty with Japan guarantees to that nation the same consideration and immunities that are guaranteed to the most favored nations; hence a desire at Washington to learn officially everything that has been done in San Francisco.

"I cannot say just what methods I shall pursue in conducting my investigations, I shall probably establish headquarters in San Francisco. As soon as my work is completed, I shall return immediately to Washington."

NEW ASSORTMENT FRESNO POST CARDS ....1¢

Gottschalk's

Trade Winners for Thursday

No. 1--Fruit of The Loom 10c a yard

Sold Nowhere less than 12 1-2c

We have just 1500 yards to sell today between the hours of 9 A. M. and 12 M. Full 36 inches wide.

No. 2—$2.00 Napkins $1.65. All linen, Scotch manufacture, 5-8 size; good assortment of patterns. A value that you can not afford to pass by. On sale all day at $1.65.

No. 3—65c Bed Sheets 45¢. 72x90 size; soft, with good finish; a satisfaction sheet and sold regular at 65c. This is another special for all day.

DON'T FORGET BIG SILK UNDERSHIRT SALE FRIDAY.

No. 4—All Wool Tricot 25¢. It's 25 inches wide and the genuine Tricot. Not many shades left, but they are the good ones—Brown, cardinal and navy.

No. 5—Novelty Scotch Plaids 25¢. Full 36 inches wide; even quality, handsome colorings, and you would gladly pay 35c a yard instead of 25c.

No. 6—Mannish Stripe Suitings 39¢. 38 inches wide; grey, tan, green and greenish stripes. This is the 50c quality. You can get a skirt length today or enough for a suit, at 39c a yard.

No. 7—Ladies' Cloth 39¢. It's all wool, 36 inches wide. Have it in all the shades that's wanted now—light blue, old rose, bottle green, navy, brown, cardinal and the greys.

SHOWING A NEW LINE FANCY POST CARDS 3 TO 5 CENTS.

A. B. SMITH
FOR TAX COLLECTOR

A. B. SMITH

Republican Candidate for Tax Collector. For 20 years a resident of Fresno, whose character and general standing is above reproach. Your vote is respectfully solicited.

Thursday Grocery Specials

Economical people never overlook Graff's grocery specials. These for today:

Old Glory Corn, sweet and tender, 2 cans ... 25¢
Olives, stuffed with celery, bottle ... 40¢
Navel Oranges, sweet and juicy, doz ... 25
The first of the season.

Fresh Vegetables

Call and get our printed recipe for cooking rice.

Green Peas
Green Lima Beans
Coast Celery
Coast Cauliflower
Coast Lettuce
Sprouts
Horse Radish Root
Parsley

Corner J and Tulare Streets.

H. Graff & Co. ALWAYS PLEASE US

PHONE PRIVATE EXCHANGE 1

Photographs are very frequently handed down as heirlooms. If you want pictures that are perfect and lasting give Maxwell & Mudge your order.

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FAST PLAY WINS GAME

Raisin Eaters Victorious By 2 to 1 Score.

Batting Rally in Last Two Innings and Fast Fielding Features of Contest.

By brilliant fielding which prevented the Beavers from scoring more than one run although they had the majority of the hits, and by awaiting Henderson for the three baggers, a two bagger and a single in the last two innings, Fresno won yesterday's game with Pennant Winners by the score of 2 to 1.

McGregor was on the slab for Fresno and pitched good ball. His work was steady and brilliant support that he was accorded by his fielders enabled him to almost shut out his opponents.

Portland made her only run in the second inning. Gum got a safe hit which bounded over the second bag and Smith struck out. Warner got a hit down the third base line that would have been a three bagger had it not been for a pretty stop by Truck Engan. Donahue hit a ball to Charlie Doyle that retired Warner at second but allowed Gum to make third and "Donnie" to land safe at the initial sack. Then the two started to work the old double steal Dashwood shot the ball to Doyle at second and it was returned in time to get Gum. Then impact of the runner knocked the ball out of Dashwood's hands but his umps, who did not see that part of the play, called him safe. Lister went out on a grounder to Delmas.

That one run was all that Portland could succeed in getting over the rubber. McGregor kept his hits pretty well scattered and double plays were the order of the day with the Raisin Eaters in the field.

It looked as though Henderson would shut out Fresno without allowing the home team even a hit. For five innings the big pitcher had everything but then he began to weaken. In both the sixth and seventh Fresno got one hit and then two hits in the eighth tied the score.

It happened this way in the eighth: With one man gone, Happy Hogan got a hot liner to right that was good for three bags and then McGregor struck out. Doyle's two bagger to center scored Hogan and Wolters struck out. McLaughlin started the ninth with a three bagger to right and Egan scored him with a single to the same garden.

The score:

PORTLAND.

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
Sweeney, ss	3	0	0	0	2	2	0
McHale, cf	2	0	0	0	1	0	0
Mitchell, lf	4	0	0	1	2	0	0
Gum, rf	4	1	3	1	1	0	0
Smith, 3b	4	0	1	0	0	1	0
Warner, 2b	4	0	2	0	2	0	0
Donahue, c	3	0	1	1	7	1	0
Lister, 1b	3	0	1	0	7	1	0
Henderson, p	3	0	1	0	2	2	0
Totals	30	1	9	3*	24	7	0

*—None out when winning run was scored.

FRESNO.

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
Doyle, 2b	3	0	1	0	6	8	0
Wolters, cf	4	0	1	0	1	0	0
McLaughlin, lf	4	1	1	0	0	0	0
Egan, 3b	4	0	1	0	1	2	0
Delmas, ss	3	0	1	0	3	4	0
Dashwood, c	3	0	0	0	5	2	1
Cartwright, 1b	3	0	0	0	9	3	0
Hogan, rf	3	1	1	0	1	0	0
McGregor, p	2	0	0	0	1	3	0
Totals	29	2	6	0	27	22	1

Score by innings:

Portland	010 000 000—1
Base hits	021 111 201—9
Fresno	000 000 011—2
Base hits	000 001 122—6

Summary: Sacrifice hit—McHale. Two base hits—Warner, Doyle. Three base hits—Lister, McLaughlin, Hogan. First base on balls—Off McGregor 2. Struck out—By Henderson 7, by McGregor 2. Left on bases—Portland 5, Fresno 5. Double plays—Egan to Doyle to Cartwright; Delmas to Doyle to Cartwright to Dashwood; Delmas to Doyle. Wild pitch—McGregor. Hit by pitcher—Doyle, McGregor. Time of game—1:30. Umpire—Mahaffey.

AT LOS ANGELES—Through failure to hit Vickers consecutively, and because of fast fielding on the part of the visitors, the locals were defeated by Seattle today by the one-sided score of 9 to 2. Score:

LOS ANGELES.

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
Bernard, cf	4	1	2	0	3	0	0
Moore, 3b	2	0	0	0	0	1	0
Cravath, rf	4	0	0	0	1	1	0
Brashear, 2b	4	1	3	0	3	6	0
Dillon, 1b	3	0	1	0	11	0	0
Carlisle, lf	4	0	1	0	1	0	0
Toman, ss	4	0	1	0	2	1	0
Mangerina, c	4	0	0	0	6	0	1
Rieger, p	4	0	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	33	2	8	0	27	11	1

SEATTLE.

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
Kane, 2b	5	3	4	4	2	5	0
Van Buren, cf	4	1	1	0	3	1	0
Blankenship, c	2	0	1	0	7	0	0
Householder, rf	5	0	2	0	3	0	0
Croll, lf	3	1	0	0	0	0	0
Streib, 1b	4	1	1	0	8	0	0
Mott, 3b	4	1	0	0	1	2	0
McKune, ss	4	2	2	0	3	2	0
Vickers, p	3	0	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	34	9	11	4	27	11	0

Score by innings:

Los Angeles	100 001 000—2
Base hits	200 212 010—8
Seattle	610 002 000—9
Base hits	320 113 001—11

Summary: Three base hits—McKune, Bernhard. Two base hits—Kane, Householder, Blankenship, Toman, Brashear. Sacrifice hits—Blankenship, Vickers. Left on bases—Los Angeles, 7; Seattle, 4. Bases on balls—Reiger, 4; Vickers, 3. Struck out—Vickers, 5; Reiger, 4. Double plays—Brashear to Toman, Van Buren to Kane, McKune to Kane to Streib. Hit by pitcher—Moore, Blankenship. Time—1:45. Umpire—Derrick.

Editor Has a Son.

Editor P. F. Adelsback, of the Kingsburg Recorder, is now a happy father, his wife having given birth to a son yesterday. The event took place in Fresno colony, where Mrs. Adelsback is visiting with her mother.

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NEARLY LOSE LIVES IN BURNING HOME

Property of Railroad Engineer and Wife Destroyed in Destructive Fire.

In the fire which razed their home to the ground yesterday morning, Mr. and Mrs. H. McFarland had a narrow escape from being burned to death, and were nearly suffocated in the smoke before they discovered the fire. The blaze occurred at 924 S street, and hardly anything was saved. The loss of the house and furniture is about $2500, fully covered by insurance. They were owned by O. Thomas. The occupants, however, sustained the loss of their personal effects, and had not even sufficient clothing when they ran from the burning house.

Shortly before 3 o'clock yesterday morning, Mrs. McFarland awoke and detected a smell of burning wood. Hastily rushing out into the hallway, she found the place clouded with dense smoke. Nearly blinded and stupified, she rushed back and roused her husband and the two managed to get outside with difficulty, without being able to get out any of their things, except one trunk which proved to be empty. The mistake was made in the darkness and excitement.

An alarm was sent in, but as the fire had made considerable headway in the darkness and quiet of the early hour in the morning, the firemen were not able to save the place, and had difficulty in preventing the spread of the flames to other houses. The department responded with alert promptness, Chief Ward being one of the first on the spot, and the men worked with a will. But it was realized from the first that they had been notified too late to save the burning place.

The origin of the blaze is a mystery. The stove in the kitchen was put out at an early hour, and there was not a single lamp in the house. McFarland is an engineer on the Santa Fe and moved into the house with his wife only a couple of weeks before. The furniture and fittings were almost new, and the loss included jewelry and other articles of considerable value to the young couple

LAND DEAL IN PORTERVILLE

Three Thousand Acres Sold for $78,000

Man Paralyzed in Overturning of a Load of Lumber Will Probably Die.

VISALIA, Oct. 31.—It is believed now that George Abel, the man who was injured by the overturning of a load of lumber near Springville last Saturday, will die of his injuries. He is paralyzed from his waist down. Abel was riding on the load with several others, when the chain broke and he was precipitated to the ground, some of the heavy timbers striking him in the small of the back. Abel is a German, who had been in those parts but a few days. He has been taken to the county hospital.

The largest deal in the history of Porterville orange land has just been made public. C. G. Wilcox and several others have purchased the John Dennis property, ten mile south of Porterville, consisting of over 3000 acres, the price paid being said to be $78,000. That is the largest sum of money that ever changed hands in a local real estate deal.

There were several Hallowe'en parties this evening. One in the Native Sons hall by the Methodist Episcopal young people attracted a large crowd. There were ghosts and hobgoblins and numerous other features. At the Good Templars hall a similar program was enacted by the Christian Endeavorers of the Christian Church. At the Odd Fellows hall, Visalia Circle, Women of Woodcraft, held forth, and made merry with Hallowe'en oddities until a late hour. Refreshments were served and large numbers were in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. White returned this morning from Paso Robles where they have been staying for some time for the benefit of the former's health. Mr. White was injured in an accident with a gasoline engine several weeks ago

Mrs. R. L. Bernhard, who will leave Saturday for San Francisco to make her future home, was tendered a farewell yesterday evening at the Christian Church by the ladies of that denomination. Mrs. Bernhard has been a prominent church worker for a number of years and her loss will be keenly felt. Refreshments were served and a pleasant time had.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

The following real estate transfers have been recorded during the past twenty-four hours:

John Ged et ux to F. E. Lander, n½ of sw¼ of sw¼ of section 28, township 14 s, range 21 e; $10.

C. L. Price to W. H. Burrough, n½ of ne½ of section 33, and nw¼ of nw¼ of section 34, and ne¼ of nw¼ of section 13, all in township 11 s, range 24 e; $10.

John Ged et ux to William Elster, s½ of nw¼ of sw¼ of section 28, township 14 s, range 21 e; $10.

J. P. Keer et ux to William Wallace et al, lots 20 and 21, block 22, Coalinga; $1000.

John Feltes et ux to Charles Forsythe, sw¼ of nw¼ of section 21, township 15 s, range 22 e; $10.

Martin Jensen et ux to Robert Benton, lots 38 and 39, Montpelier Tract; $10.

City Land Co. to Lizzie Esheim, lots 29 and 30, block 12; $10.

J. C. Lillis to Bank of Lemoore, w½ of nw¼ of section 25, sw¼ of sw¼ of section 24, se¼ of se¼ and w½ of sw¼ of section 23, all in township 15 s, range 12 e; $10.

S. C. Lillis to Bank of Lemoore, sw¼ of section 22, township 18 s, range 16 e; [illegible] of section 27, [illegible] e; $10.

Robinson, lots 27, 28 and 29, section 31, township 17 s, range 20 e; $2400.

M. L. Wor et ux to Antonio Giglio, lots 10 and 11, in block 21; $200.

LOWER COURT DAILY GRIND

Hobo Gibson and Apprentice Are Parted.

Veteran Vagabond Is Jailed, and Decoyed Youth is Discharged.

Claiming that he was a consumptive and came to this state for the good of his health, Harry Gibson, an elderly vagabond of disreputable appearance, was arrested on Tuesday night charged with vagrancy. With him was a good looking boy of 16 years who stated that he came from St. Joseph, Mo. The man appeared to be a professional tramp of the class which take with them youthful companions to do the lighter form of begging, and enlist sympathy. The boy said that Gibson talked him into leaving home to see the world. Gibson was handed out 15 days by Judge Briggs who turned the lad loose, telling him to give up a hobo's life.

Although the two claimed to come to town on Tuesday night, they closely answer the description of a pair who worked the sympathies of the members of the Congregational church last Sunday morning. A ragged man about 50 years, who claimed to be deaf and in ill health, stood outside the church door with a decent looking boy, and solicited aid. Their woe-begotten appearance and abject poverty moved some of the church people to pity, and the destitute pair were given food and money. The man said the boy was his son, and explained that they were in California for his health as he was suffering from Tuberculosis. Gibson and his young companion begged alms from several persons on the night of their arrest and it is thought that they are two who stood on the church steps last Sunday.

Gets Chance For First Arrest.

Louis Brandenburg is a well dressed young fellow who came to town from Fowler to transact business on a short trip and took in the sights before making a start on his return journey. He was found hopelessly drunk by Officer Machen yesterday morning and charged with the offense. The judge released him with a caution.

Maxwell May Be Wanted.

William Maxwell, the young negro arrested by Officer Russell on Tuesday night as a hobo, may turn out to be a man wanted for robbery in Bakersfield. A man named Goddery informed Officer Russell that he formerly worked as a bartender in a saloon in that place and Maxwell was working there as a porter. A neighboring saloon was held up and robbed by a colored man, and the robbery happened on Maxwell's night off. The general description fits the man now in jail and he was arrested on the charge of vagrancy to hold him pending word from Bakersfield. Maxwell has been under the eyes of the police for some time and has spent part of his time in jail.

These Two Were Spared.

Tat Fulton, who explained that his first name was not an abreviation for "Tattered," with his companion Nick Nelson, told of seeking work when arraigned on vagrancy charges yesterday. The judge thought the city could spare them and they were turned loose with floaters.

SEVEN MARRIAGES BETWEEN THEM

Bride and Groom Wedded By Judge Smith are no Novices at Joining of Hearts.

Something rather different from the blushing lads and lassies who timorously enter the court of the justice seeking the willing offices of Judge Smith in matrimonial ventures for the first time, were two lovers of mature years who were joined together yesterday afternoon, and achieved in the ceremony the record of having done the same thing five times before. The groom has now been married three times, while his buxom twin soul goes him one better with four marriages.

The contracting parties were S. P. Rucker, a native of Missouri, aged 44 years, who is a respected resident of this place. His bride was Mrs. Marie Jane Gordon, a native of Tennessee, and a resident of Madera. She is the same age as her lord.

The knot was tied in the presence of a few near friends, and the newly wedded pair departed, none the less happy because theirs was not the mating of young or untried affections.

Mr. and Mrs. Rucker are the recipients of warm congratulations from their many friends with whom they stand in high esteem.

Moscow University Closed.

MOSCOW, Oct. 31.—The University of Moscow was closed today by order of the rector until November 12th, owing to the violations of the rule against political meetings being held in the university buildings.

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Men's $1.50 hats ... 98c

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TRUST HOGS ARE OVERFED

Striking Illustrations Given By Secretary Bonaparte.

President Roosevelt Desired to Prevent Monopoly from Crushing Individuals.

DENTON, Md., Oct. 31.—Secretary Bonaparte spoke here today at a meeting in the interest of William H. Jackson, the Republican nominee for congress in the First district of Maryland. Bonaparte's speech was a plea for the continuation of the next house of representatives in Republican hands. He quoted figures showing the increase of the foreign commerce of the country since 1896, when the Republicans came into power, in support of his contention that the national prosperity was due to Republican administration.

"But this very prosperity," he continued, "is the source of some serious embarrassment. When a nation grows rich, the individuals who make up that nation grow rich also, and in some cases some of the individuals always grow far richer than others. We have developed a crop of Croesuses without precedent in history, and moreover, the long distance telephone, the ocean cable and the development of corporate agencies enable the multi-millionaires to unite their wealth in huge combinations which threaten the commercial liberties of their fellow citizens and even bid defiance to our laws."

Bonaparte likened the trusts to a pen of pigs in which the big, strong, overfed hog crowded the little ones away from their feed and got far more than its share.

"Our big, strong, greedy, over-prosperous trusts are animals of the like order. They crowd their smaller and weaker fellows from the feeding trough, so that these don't get their fair share of our national prosperity. The problem is how to fence off the great beasts so as to give the little ones a show.

"The Democrats propose to cut off the supply of swill, or in other words, to destroy our prosperity by unsettling all our business relations. No doubt this process would soon make the big hogs as thin as razorbacks, but would the small ones fare any better?

"Remember, we don't complain of the former because they are themselves big and fat but because they make others small and thin. The fatter the pigs become, the better for their owner and the more money the trusts make the better for the American people provided in the one case all the little pigs get fat, too, or at all events, as fat as they can, and in the other, that all dealers outside of the trusts have a fair field and the trusts have no favor.

"Our president wants, and has always wanted, a square deal for everyone, whether pig, lion or man, and under his leadership the Republican party has tried to put and keep each of our trusts in its proper pen where it can't crowd any of the little fellows around it. To these ends he has asked the aid of congress and of the courts to keep the corporate and individual wealth of the country in due subjection to the law, not to make rich men poor, for to do this would only make poor men poorer, but to make rich men law-abiding, so that poor men may become rich if they will. And congress as well as the courts have responded to his appeal."

FRENCH MINISTRY'S RADICAL PROGRAM

Government Ownership of Railroads and Mines Contemplated as Early Measures.

PARIS, Oct. 31.—The cabinet has decided to include in its preliminary program the purchase of the Western railway and a bill providing for the abolition of the death penalty.

War Minister Picquart's plan for the reform of the courts martial amounts to their entire suppression, substituting therefor civil procedure in the offenses punishable by common law, while disciplinary courts will deal with infractions and discipline.

Minister of Public Works Barthou's project for the revision of the law contemplates the taking over by the state of all mines and the participation of the miners in the profits.

GOVERNMENT AID TO FIND LOST CHILDREN

New Brunswick Authorities Will Make Search for Boy and Girl at Moncton.

MONCTON, N. B., Oct. 31.—In an effort to clear up the mystery of the disappearance of the two little children of Mr. and Mrs. John Creamer, who dropped out of sight five months ago, the provincial government has been called upon for aid. Under government direction it is hoped a search more extensive and systematic than any previously conducted will be made of the woods and swamps near Bayfield.

The two children, a boy and a girl, aged 3 and 4 years respectively, left home on Sunday afternoon five months ago and have not been seen since. For weeks, large parties of searchers from all over the country hunted vainly for them.

ANARCHIST LEADERS HELD UNDER BONDS

Emma Goldman and Ten Associates Charged With Offense Against New Law.

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—Emma Goldman, five other women and five men, all of whom are alleged to be anarchists and who were arrested last night for alleged violation of the section of the penal code which prohibits "unlawful assemblies for the purpose of overthrowing the government," were arraigned in police court today and held in $1000 bail each for further examination.

Morris Berkowitz, who was arraigned on a charge of attempting to incite a riot at the time the arrests were made, was sent to the work house for six months.

GOOD CASE AGAINST TWO GASPIPE THUGS

San Francisco Police Think They Have Pfitzner's Slayers Behind the Bars.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 31.—Ralph Scanlon and Louis Taylor, alias Howard, were charged this afternoon with the murder of Johannes Pfitzner. Captain Duke and his men say they have a complete case against the pair. Most of the evidence has been secured from Samuel Gordon, a traveling salesman, who has known Taylor intimately for fifteen years and could not be mistaken. He was located in Angeles Camp by Detectives Matthewson yesterday. He identified a rogue's gallery picture of Scanlan as being a photograph of the man who ran out of the store to meet Taylor. The instrument with which Pfitzner was killed was a heavy gas pipe.

BRITAIN'S NAVY IS TO BE EVER READY

Battleship Dreadnaught to Be Flagship of New Fleet Which Will Be Divided.

LONDON, Oct. 31.—The announcement that the first class battleship Dreadnaught will be the flagship of the new fleet is welcomed in naval circles and by the public as proof that the new fleet will by no means be a reserve.

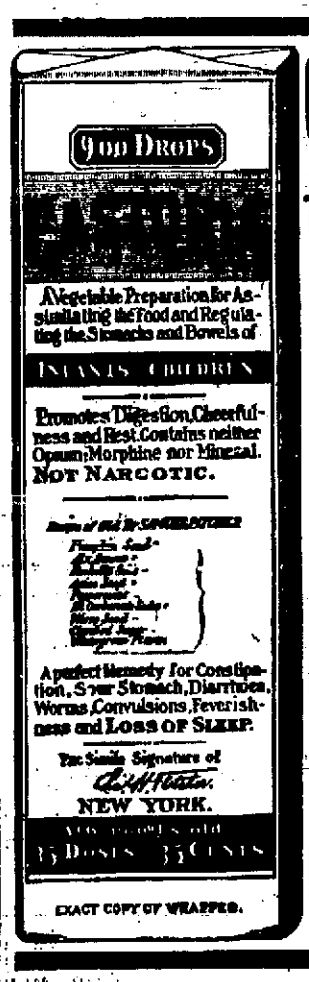
It is learned that the Home fleet will be quartered in three divisions at Shearness, Portsmouth and Davenport, with a big nucleus of the crews of the ships on board and that they will be kept in such a constant state of preparedness that they could be brought up to their full war stage and be in readiness to go to sea within a few hours.

BOLL WEEVIL INQUIRY IS BEING CONDUCTED BY MISSISSIPPI BOARD

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 31.—Search to determine whether the boll weevil has crossed the Mississippi river from Louisiana into the state of Mississippi, began today in the vicinity of Natchez by officials of the state crop pest commission. At the beginning of the year it was announced by the government experts that the weevil probably would make its first crossing of the Mississippi this fall.

Mexican Plantation Co. Failed.

LA CROSSE, Wis., Oct. 31.—Judge Fruit in the Circuit court today appointed receiver for the Mexican Plantation Company, capitalized at $600,000.



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Scenes of Great Activity on Walker Lake.

Three Thousand Prospectors Have Found Satisfactory Claims.

RENO, Nev., Oct. 31.—Today the new towns of Hutchinson and Cottonwood, on the western shore of Walker Lake, are the scenes of great activity. The town sites are being laid out by surveyors and on the streets that have been designated stores are being erected and tent dwellings put up.

On every mountain slope can be seen hundreds of men doing location work on claims.

The ferries that are being run across Walker Lake promise to become a permanent feature of the new mining region. Today a large number of passengers were carried between the eastern and western shores of the lake many of those making the trip doing so merely for sight-seeing.

It is estimated that at least 3000 prospectors are satisfied with the claims they have found, and are remaining on the reservation. All night long, and today, a steady stream of people left the reservation without having found any land that they believed was worth taking up. It is still the public opinion that the reservation was opened under unfair conditions. People who abided by the law and waited for the signal assert they had no chance against those who rode or walked over the boundaries the night before.

That considerable litigation will result from overlapping and disputed claims is evidenced by the fact that a number of prospectors have retained lawyers to institute damage suits. There was considerable excitement at Hawthorne last night, when Ben Henley, a clerk in a store, found four men in the place. He opened fired with a revolver and struck one man in the cheek. The men all escaped.

HAWTHORNE, Nev., Oct. 30—Scores of horses that made the race from Hawthorne and down the mountain sides to the Walker Lake reservation were shot this morning, to end their suffering. It was found that the animals had been entirely unfitted for future work, having either been crippled in the run over the rocky country or having had their lungs permanently weakened. The carcasses of the animals will be buried in deep trenches.

One of the most serious shooting affrays that has yet been reported occurred at Dutchman today, when two men attempted to drive Wm. McGilroy off his claim. McGilroy was fired at three times, and had it not been for the timely interference of Deputy Sheriff Butler, he would probably have been killed. McGilroy was one of the foremost men in the rush. Last night his monument was thrown down, and he was restoring it this morning when two men put in an appearance, covering McGilroy with their rifles. They demanded that he leave the premises. When he refused to do so, they commenced firing at him, and had fired three bullets in his direction when the deputy sheriff put in an appearance.

Rivalling the camps at Dutchman and Cottonwood is the new copper country on the eastern side of Walker Lake, where a large number of claims have been staked out just inside the old reservation. A large townsite is being laid out in this region.

Locations May Be Revoked.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—The interior department received messages from Nevada today stating that when all the facts are known of the opening of the Walker Lake Indian reservation and charges that thousands of persons had succeeded in entering the reserve in advance of the signal, Secretary Hitchcock may be compelled to recommend that the opening be declared invalid.

Special Land Agent Park in a dispatch dated Hawthorne, says:

"Rush from this end of the reservation was orderly and without disturbing incident. Two thousand persons passed through. Only about three hundred on line when signal was fired. It is known that hundreds of persons were within the reservation previous to time set for opening and that most of the valuable claims had been located and marked."

No action will be taken by Secretary Hitchcock until reports have been received from other agents who are in the fields.

Hering's Trial Is Begun.

CHICAGO, Oct. 31.—The application of Henry W. Hering, formerly cashier of the Milwaukee Avenue State Bank, of which Paul O. Stensland was president, for a change of venue from Cook county was denied today. The trial will now proceed and the selection of a jury was commenced late today. The charges against Hering are forgery and embezzlement.

Grain Elevator Case Hearing.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—Arguments were made before the interstate commerce commission today in the Peavey Elevator case, in which it is charged that this company received a bonus from the Union Pacific railroad at Omaha in the shape of favorable transfer charges.

Chicago City's Big Ballot.

CHICAGO, Oct. 31.—Samples of the ballot to be used in the city at the election next week were given out today. The ballot is the largest ever seen here since the adoption of the Australian system of voting. It measures 20 by 26 inches and bears the names of 334 candidates.

General Palmer's Illness.

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., Oct. 31.—"Continued slight improvement" was the bulletin issued from the bedside of General W. J. Palmer today. General Palmer is hovering between life and death and the end may come at any time. If he recovers he will be paralyzed in his lower limbs and never will be able to walk.

Chair of Lumbering at Yale.

NEW HAVEN, Oct. 31.—It was announced today that a full professor of lumbering will be appointed at Yale as soon as an endowment fund of $150,000 is raised by the National Lumbermen's Association for a chair of practical lumbering at the forest school of the university.

RUSH OF TOURISTS HAS NO PRECEDENT

Cheap Rates from Eastern Points Cease Tonight and Influx Will Be Reduced.

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 31.—With today, the reduced railroad rates to California from Eastern points end and the great rush of tourists will cease within a few days. The influx during the past week is unprecedented. No accurate estimate of the total number can be given, but the transcontinental railroad officials say that they never handled anywhere near the number before.

The Southern Pacific is averaging around 75 cars daily from the East, and the Santa Fe is running some of their regular trains in four sections. The Salt Lake, too, is handling a large business. It is estimated that within a week, ending tonight, over 100 cars will have been turned over to these roads by their connecting lines in the East, filled with tourists for California. These are denominated "special cars" and are exclusive of the enormous regular business on the main lines.

The bulk of the Southern Pacific direct tourist travel is from Iowa, an official of the road estimating that nine-tenths of their tourist travel came from that state this year. The Santa Fe drew heavily over connecting lines from Minneapolis and the Northwest. The Salt Lake's business was more diversified.

Th last of the $33 tickets from Chicago and $25 from Missouri river points will be sold at midnight tonight, and the thousands of tourists and homeseekers now on the way will have arrived in California by Tuesday next.

ELECTRICAL WORKERS ON UNITED RAILROADS

Expert Told Arbitration Commission that They Are Paid Less There Than Elsewhere.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 31.—President Harry L. Worthington, of the Electrical Workers' Association, was the principal witness for the carmen in the arbitration proceedings now going on between the United Railways and its employes. Worthington qualified as an expert and testified as to the wages paid electrical workers by the United Railroads and the wages paid for the same kind of work by other corporations, both in San Francisco and in other cities.

To prove his assertion that the electrical workers were paid less and worked longer than other employes in similar lines, Worthington produced working agreements of other corporations. These agreements pertained to every branch of electrical workers. It was the contention of the witness that linemen in the employ of the company were exposed to greater danger and received less wages than in other companies.

When proceedings opened today, Attorney Johnson, for the men, stated that a detective had been detailed by the company to watch the witnesses and he asked that the man be ordered to leave. Attorney A. A. Moore, for the railroad, denied that such a person was in the room.

The board of arbitration will continue its sessions tomorrow.

AMBASSADOR MEYER FAVORABLY IMPRESSED BY HATED KAULBARS

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 31.—Ambassador Meyer has returned here from his trip south. He found evidence of a lull in revolutionary activity in the provinces he traversed. Business was active in the towns and the peasants generally were busily engaged in the fields. Meyer saw no disorders. He was especially impressed with the personality of General Kaulbars, the governor general of Odessa, with whom he dined. Meyer found him deeply interested in America and determined to enforce the law in the cause of Jew and gentile alike.

TIMMINS' STATEMENT

Will Give Honest and Capable Administration and Stamp Out Crime.

Editor Republican:—In order to meet and refute some of the charges circulated by my opponents in this campaign, and to define my position to the people of this county in this fight, I desire to say through your paper to the voters of the county that in my ambition to be the sheriff of this county, I have been impelled by a desire to crown the work of fifteen years in this line of business with the honor of being sheriff of this great county of ours. I shall certainly feel that an election to this office will be a great honor which will merit in return the best that there is in me. Should the people of this county elect me to this important place, I pledge them an honest economical, energetic and faithful discharge of every duty devolving upon me. I will be the sheriff of the county controlled by no element or person. I believe I can, and it will be my ambition to, make the sheriff's office of Fresno county rank among the best and most efficiently conducted offices of its kind in the state. I shall use my best efforts for the good of this community along the lines of the moral and high civic advancement which has already been inaugurated by its people, and there will be no backward step in this regard by my administration. I will enforce the laws without fear or favor and with the single purpose to do justice to all classes and individuals. I shall, if elected, call around me as deputies men who are of good moral character and high standing in this county and will absolutely require as a condition of a continuance in those positions an honest, careful, energetic and courteous discharge of every duty.

In a few words, my ambition is to give the people such an administration of the office as to win their recommendation and to cause the criminal element to steer clear of this county and thus prevent crime, and where crime is committed to relentlessly pursue the prepetrators, and to save to the tax payers the large sums now and for many years last past necessarily spent in pursuing, caring for and prosecuting the criminal class. I feel that I have the experience and ability to accomplish these things, and if elected, I will accomplish them notwithstanding statements to the contrary by my opponents.

Yours very respectfully,
L. P. TIMMINS
Republican Nominee for Sheriff.

Annual Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Crescent Canal Co. will be held on Tuesday, November 13, 1906, at 1 o'clock p. m., for the election of officers and the transaction of any other business that may properly come before the meeting.

C. C. GOODELL, Secretary.

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The real cause for Eczema is the presence of humors and sour acids in the blood. These impurities get into the circulation because of imperfect action of those members of the system whose duty it is to collect and carry off the refuse and waste of the body. As this effete matter lies in the system it ferments and generates acrid humors which are absorbed into the blood, overcharging this vital fluid with acid. In its effort to keep the system healthy the blood throws off the humors through the pores and glands of the skin, causing this tormenting skin disease. The escape of acids and humors through the pores and glands irritates and burns the skin, producing pustules filled with a clear, sticky fluid, which dries in crusts and patches causing the most intense itching, and often pain. The trouble is in the blood, and S. S. S. is the remedy for Eczema, because it is a real blood purifier. It goes down into the circulation, removes all acids and humors and makes the blood rich, pure and healthy. When S. S. S. has done this the symptoms pass away, the blood is cooled and the disease cured permanently. Nothing acts so promptly or pleasantly in all skin diseases as S. S. S., and it is at the same time a fine tonic to the entire system. Book on Skin Diseases and medical advice free. THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

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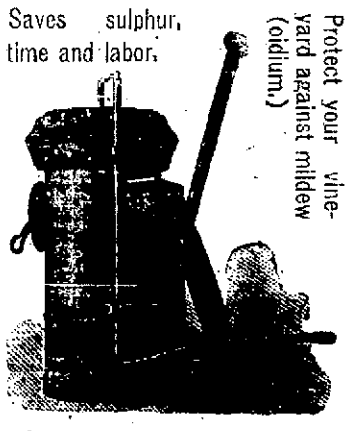

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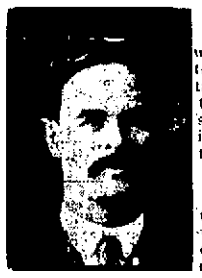

Sciatica.

I wish to state that during the summer of 1902 I was taken with a severe attack of sciatica. I went to the hot springs and to several physicians. Obtaining no relief at the springs nor from drugs, I took a few treatments from Dr. Hunt, which resulted in a permanent cure. I am a firm believer in, and heartily endorse Dr. Hunt's methods of treatments, particularly in nervous disorders.

Signed, R. A. M.

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FOR APPELLATE JUDGES.

The Bar Association of San Francisco has endorsed J. A. Cooper, Democrat, for presiding justice, and Samuel P. Hall, Republican, and M. T. Dooling, Democrat, for associate justices of the court of appeal of this district, and has sent out the following circular letter in behalf of its ticket:

San Francisco, October 20, 1906.
Dear Sir:

The Bar Association of San Francisco has indorsed Hon. J. A. Cooper for presiding justice and Hon. Samuel P. Hall and Hon. M. T. Dooling for associate justices of the court of appeal in this district. This indorsement was made because Judges Cooper, Hall and Dooling are men of learning and integrity and of all the candidates named, irrespective of residence or party, are best fitted for election to this court.

Judge Cooper is at present an associate justice of this court under appointment from Governor Pardee. He was, prior to his appointment, a commissioner of the Supreme court. As a commissioner and as a justice of the court of appeal, he has participated in many of the most important cases decided in this state in the past seven years. His opinions have been marked for their learning and sound judgment. In the present campaign, he is the nominee of the Democratic party, and of the Independence league.

Judge Hall is also at this time a justice of the court of appeal. He is a man of wide public experience, having served the people as district attorney and as judge of the Superior court of Alameda county. His record as a Superior judge was such that Governor Pardee selected him from among more than a dozen candidates for the position he now occupies. He is the nominee of the Republican party.

Judge Dooling has been for years Superior judge of San Benito county. He is one of the best known trial judges in the state, and because of his learning and experience, is continually called into other counties to try contested cases. So well does he stand in San Benito county that both the Republican and Democratic parties join upon him at each election as their candidate for Superior judge. It is said of him that no civil case has ever been tried by a jury in his court, the litigants preferring to take his judgment to that of any twelve of his neighbors. For the court of appeal he is the nominee of the Democratic and Union Labor parties and of the Independence league.

We bespeak your support and advocacy of these candidates.

Respectfully yours,
BAR ASSOCIATION OF SAN FRANCISCO.
W. B. COPE, President.

Bar Association indorsements do not always amount to much, but this one seems to be really representative of the opinion of the bar and to be a genuinely independent recommendation. It is therefore entitled to much weight, as coming from the men who know best the qualifications of the respective candidates and are most interested in having good judges on the bench.

The recommendation of Judge Cooper will be received with particular favor in Fresno. Judge Cooper is a brother of Dr. Cooper of this city; he is well known in Fresno and has extensive property interests here, including the Grand Central Hotel corner. The standing of Judge Cooper as a jurist and as a man is of the highest, and he would be entitled to a re-election, regardless of the demerits of his opponent. It happens also, unfortunately, that it is the general sentiment of the bar, and of those best in a position to know, that Carroll Cook, the Republican candidate for presiding justice, is a man who should not have been nominated and ought not to be elected to the bench. Under these circumstances, the election of Judge Cooper ought to be a foregone conclusion.

For associate justices the Bar Association has chosen one Republican and one Democrat. The Republican, Judge Hall, seems to be the practically unanimous choice of everybody who knows anything about it. He is on the appellate bench now, where he is doing good work, and there is no substantial opposition to keeping him there.

The other candidates, Judge Dooling, recommended by the Bar Association, and Judge Kerrigan, Republican candidate, are both new to the appellate bench, but are both judges of experience and ability. Judge Dooling, Democratic candidate, as will be seen from the Bar Association recommendation above, is a man of the very highest standing and character, and enjoys in an almost phenomenal degree the confidence of his neighbors in San Benito county, where he is now Superior judge. No mistake can be made in voting for him. On the other hand, there will be some tendency, in Fresno, to prefer Judge Kerrigan, the Republican candidate, also a good man. Judge Kerrigan was nominated by Frank H. Short, and received the support of the Fresno delegation. His nomination broke the Ruef slate. Ruef wanted to nominate Acting Mayor Gallagher, and the choice of Kerrigan saved the party and possibly the state, from that unspeakable disgrace. Either Dooling or Kerrigan would be a proper choice.

WHAT IT IS ABOUT.

It should be understood that the present excitement in San Francisco is not due to the exposure of graft, but rather to the suppression of that exposure. It is not yet proved that Ruef, Schmitz and the supervisors are grafters, and the moral certainty of their guilt is only a little stronger than it was before. To the circumstances already pointing in that direction have been added only two new ones—the statement of Burns and Heney that they have the proof, and the suspicious conduct of Ruef in obstructing the presentation of that proof. And even the announcement of Burns and Heney did not produce any uncontrollable excitement. People merely waited, with heightened expectation, for the long-awaited bomb to explode. The thing that set San Francisco desperate was the action of Ruef in usurping the functions of prosecuting attorney, the moment he found he was himself to be prosecuted. The other crimes were violations of the law; this was an attack on the very foundations of the law. Under graft, the people were too patient; under the threat of exposure of graft they were nothing worse than impatient; but under revolutionary usurpation they are desperate. No matter how bad the crimes of Ruef turn out to be, Ruef will never be hanged or mobbed for them. But if he persists too long in obstructing the investigation of those crimes, he may be mobbed for that. Anticipating such a possibility, he last night organized a counter-mob, said to contain 12,000 names already. With such a hand protecting the criminal, any attempt at vigilance committee methods would mean local civil war. Heaven forbid that! But feeling in San Francisco is almost desperate enough for it, and will continue so until it is known that the ordinary machinery of society for the detection and punishment of crime is in operation in San Francisco again. To the bad working of that machinery the people will submit; but not to its destruction.

WANTS JURY TO HELP IN FIGHT AGAINST BIKES

R. F. Williams Will Start in Crusade Against Bicycle Racks on Streets.

R. F. Williams, a brakeman on the Southern Pacific, has a grievance and wants a jury of twelve good men and true to help him to gain redress. He is the man who barked his shin against a bicycle standing in a rack outside of the Blasingame block of H street as he rushed out to go to his work on Tuesday night. Enraged at the pain and hardly knowing what he was doing on being stopped summarily in his run, he picked up the offending machine and flung it furiously aside in the direction of the plate glass windows of the lower floor occupied by the San Joaquin Light and Power Company's offices. The wheel went through the glass and not up against a wall as has been reparted. This means that a valuable window was smashed.

Officer Aubery was near enough to see the occurrence and arrested the man on a charge of disturbing the peace. Judge Briggs released him on his promise to appear, and he turned up promptly enough on the citation but pleaded not guilty.

Williams now claims a jury trial and seems to think that bicycle racks have no legal right to be in the street. So far from the police having a case against him, he believes, it is really the other way about, as the racks obstruct the sidewalk and are responsible for any injury which they may work, directly or otherwise upon pedestrians.

This point he will present to the jury on the 7th of this month, unless some one persuades him to look at the matter in a different light in the interim. As things now stand, Williams is up against a big bill for damages, besides the more venial affair of a small fine for disturbing the peace on an ordinary appearance before the judge.

The contestant on this unique point discussed the matter last night with Officer Aubery, who advised him to stand the charge without fuss and pay for the damage. Mr. Williams is a decent enough man, who bears an excellent name with the company. He has not been in trouble before.

WOULD KILL WIFE IN MENTAL DARKNESS

Hard Drinking Said to Be the Cause of Al Penn's Presence in Insane Ward.

Threats to kill his wife, coupled with erratic habits following his drinking debauch, landed Al Penn in the insane ward yesterday afternoon. A compalaint was sworn to, charging the man with insanity and threats to kill yesterday morning. It was some time before he could be located. Penn had gone over on the west side of the track early yesterday and got filled up on liquor. He then went to the Hughes hotel, where he secured a room and went to bed. He was found there and taken to the insane ward of the court house.

Mrs. Penn has been supporting herself for some time past and appears to have had considerable trouble with her husband. The matter will come up today when a medical board will examine the state of his mind.

PERSONAL MENTION.

S. F. Hilton of San Francisco is a guest of the Sequoia.

S. A. Johnson is registered at the Grand from Dinuba.

W. H. Ramsaur of Long Beach is at the Grand Central.

J. A. Taylor of the University of Iowa is the guest of Arthur W. Osburn.

E. H. Belden and L. Drury of Stockton are registered at the Grand Central.

E. L. Ritson of Boston and W. R. Peck of Chicago are guests of the Hughes.

Miss Lizzie J. Cowan and Miss Rose Morton of Visalia are guests of the Hughes.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Gilligan are registered at the Hughes from Minneapolis, Minn.

George D. Barber of Pomona and Charles W. Wall of Stockton are guests of the Hughes.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Holland of San Francisco are here visiting Mr. Holland's uncle, L. O. Stephens, and his father and brothers.

Among the San Francisco guests at the Hughes are Hilbert Ladsinger, F. C. Kelley, H. E. Ownes, G. W. Wallace and J. R. Wilson.

W. H. Dalton and wife of Coalinga, J. C. McCabe of Porterville, and J. D. Huffman and S. De Borst of Oakland are at the Grand Central.

"RAINMAKER" HAS CONTRACT

Chas. M. Hatfield o Work at Crow's Landing.

Farmers Engage Him for Five Months—Discusses His "Invention."

Get your umbrellas out for "Rainmaker" Charles M. Hatfield has just passed through Fresno. While it is said that one swallow does not make a summer there are some people who think that one Hatfield makes a winter, so it is best to be prepared.

Hatfield arrived yesterday morning from Los Angeles and leaves this morning for Crow's Landing where he has a five months' contract with 400 farmers living on the west side of Stanislaus, Merced and San Joaquin counties to use his powers with the gods of the weather for the benefit of that section of the country. This is the longest contract that Hatfield has ever had and he is confident that he will be able to produce much rain in that time.

The rainmaker was employed in that section of the country last year for several weeks and the rainfall during the period that he was there was phenomenal. The farmers wanted him to sign a five years' contract but he refused stating that he did not know where he might be in five years from now. The contract begins on the fifteenth of next month and ends on the fifteenth of April. Mr. Hatfield will erect two of his mysterious towers from which he conducts his operations with the weather and carry on his work in a more extensive scale than he has ever done before. The towers will be erected on the ranch of William Munson six miles west of Crows in the foothills of the Coast range.

"I am not really a rainmaker," said Mr. Hatfield last night. "That is only a name that has been applied to me by newspapers and others and I have come to accept it. No one can make rain. My scheme is to produce atmospheric disturbances that will induce the precipitation of the rain and for this purpose, I use an electrical apparatus invented by myself that sets in vibration electrical currents similar to those set in action by the Marconi apparatus. Then, too, I use chemicals to produce conditions that nature does not produce in some sections of the country. Take that West Side for instance. The farmers tell me that many times it will cloud up and look very black and the clouds will blow over to the East Side and it will rain there while the farmers on the West Side will get no rain. Now that is a shame and I can induce those clouds to give up their moisture on the West Side.

Mr. Hatfield describes his process as a sort of flirtation with the elusive rain cloud of commerce that will bring down the rain when the cloud is around. Then too, he says that he can induce clouds to come to him from a distance away by the peculiar conditions that his chemicals produce.

"The last two years have been wet years and the history of the weather on the West Side shows that three wet years never come in succession," says Mr. Hatfield. "Now all signs point to a dry year in that country this year. So this will be the real test of my powers. If I can produce rain again this year, it can no longer be said that I was simply lucky."

Hatfield has made in all thirty-nine demonstrations with his machine and all of them have been singularly successful. Last year he was called to Yuba county where he produced both rain and snow breaking a drought of several months' duration.

This past summer the "rainmaker" has been in Dawson where his demonstrations have again been attended with success. He had a contract with some miners in Dawson to produce rain for which he was to receive $10,000. Various reports were given out about this venture and the reputed failure of the rainmaker to make good in the frozen north but he says that they were prompted by malice. "I was in that country forty-four days," he said, "and it rained thirty-six of those days. This can be ascertained by writing to the governor of the province. There was a dispute about the contract or rather a misunderstanding. When I got there, I found that they expected enough water to carry on hydraulic mining. I told them that that was impossible as there was not enough moisture in the atmosphere in that vicinity that time of the year to make that amount of rain. I agreed to accept $2500 if I should produce enough rain for placer mining and I did. Last summer was the only summer that placer miners in that country have ever made a clean up."

With Hatfield is his brother, P. A. Hatfield, who aids him in his operations.

IN THE LODGE ROOM.

Friendship Rebekahs.

Hallowe'en was duly observed last night in a jolly social and dance given by Friendship lodge of Rebekahs last night. The usual Hallowe'en decorations gave the hall a festive appearance and games of cards supplemented the main feature of the event, dancing. W. H. Harris acted as floor manager, the committee of arrangements including Mrs. Maggie Hays, Mrs. Anna Hughson and Mrs. Grace Pickford. A fish pond revealed many fateful mysteries of fortune.

Knights of Pythias.

After a short business session last night Fresno lodge, Knights of Pythias enjoyed an evening of social pleasures which included cards and a smoker in conclusion.

Fraternal Brotherhood.

Raisin City lodge, Fraternal Brotherhood, held a well attended meeting last night. One application was received for membership. A hard time social will be given next Wednesday night under the auspices of the following committee: Mrs. A. M. Henderson, Mrs. Nora Miller, Mrs. Florence Murray.

Police Inspection Was Cleared.

CHICAGO, Oct. 31.—Police Inspector P. J. Lavin was today declared not guilty by the civil service commission of charges brought against him by Chief of Police Collins. It was alleged that the inspector had connived at a burglary and had afterward arrested the thieves in order to make a show of efficiency to aid him in securing promotion.

ELLIS BROTHERS BOUGHT FRUIT

Small Fresno Firm Gets the Kearney Raisins.

Thought to Be Acting for Others—Speculation as to Real Buyer.

It was learned yesterday afternoon that Ellis Brothers, the proprietors of the Western Packing Company which has a small packing house on the Santa Fe reservation, were the successful bidders for the Kearney raisins. While it is not know what price was paid for the fruit it is known that it was the large block of raisins brought over 5¾ cents.

As the Western Raisin Packing Company's packing house is too small to handle the large block of raisins, there has been considerable speculation as to whom the Ellis Brothers are acting for. There are two stories as to this phase of the situation.

One theory is that the Ellis Brothers have been acting for the California Canners, who this year broke into the raisin field and have been making things hot for the "High Five." It is stated that the Ellis Brothers have been acting in conjunction with the Canners all season and that the Canners had good reasons for wishing to put in their real bid through some other firm. Those who profess to be on the inside say that the Canners bought a large quantity of raisins at a low figure at the beginning of the season and were afraid that if it became known that they had paid a handsome sum for the Kearney raisins that some of the growers with whom they have contracts would refuse to deliver.

The other theory as to the real bidder for the Kearney raisins is that the Ellis brothers have been acting for some firm of New York brokers who have been selling raisins under their own contracts this season and have been compelled to buy a large quantity of fruit at a high price to cover it. Packers who are familiar with the Eastern markets state that the firm of U. H. Dudley who have formerly acted as brokers for the Ellis' Brothers in New York, have sold extensively under their own contracts this year, at the very low rate of 5¾ cents for seeded goods. If Dudley sold short and had to buy the Kearney raisins to make good the broker would lose about 3 cents on their buy of the Kearney raisins but that is smaller than their loss would amount to if they were unable to fill any of their contracts.

The amount of this sale, over $60,000, is the largest on record for a single sale of raisins.

NOMINEES GOT MIXED

Socialist Supervisors in Wrong Districts.

Appointment of Burleigh as Appraiser of Kearney Estate Revoked.

A mix-up has occurred in the Socialist ticket on the official ballot to be voted upon next Tuesday, caused by the carelessness of someone who made out the certificate of nominations that was filed with the county clerk. Thomas Ponton, of Oleander, who was nominated for supervisor on the fourth district, has been placed on the ballot as from the first, and I. H. Wixson of Madison, living in the first, is entered up as being named from the fourth.

When the sample ballots first went out, and the error in the arrangement was noted, some complaint was made. Upon examination of the official certificate in the county clerk's office, however, it is seen that the fault is that of the person or persons who were entrusted with the duty of making out the certificate. This is signed by J. F. Gallman as chairman and W. I. Tibbs as secretary of the Socialist county convention.

Pierce Instead of Burleigh.

Supervisor H. E. Burleigh is not to be one of the appraisers of the M. Theo. Kearney estate. Yesterday, after consultation between Judge Austin and M. K. Harris, legal representative in this city of the San Francisco attorneys of the Mercantile Trust company, the former entered an order declaring that the appointment of Burleigh had been made though inadvertence and appointing C. S. Pierce in his place. C. S. Pierce is the well known lumberman and capitalist of this city.

It is understood that, whatever might have been the objections to Burleigh's serving as one of the appraisers of the estate on account of the contiguity of his own land, which is to be condemned as a sewer farm, he could not have served in any case. The state law provides that no official may serve as the appraiser of an estate, and this gave sufficient cause for the revocation of the appointment.

Fraud Charged Against Machen.

The Crane company has brought suit against E. O. Dryer and George Machen, as partners in the plumbing business, and W. W. Machen, father of the latter, to secure possession of two lots of land now standing in the name of the latter. It is alleged that last summer the plumbing firm became indebted to the plaintiff company for $1465.32 for goods, never paid for them, and were the subjects of a judgment and execution issued during the month just past, which has never been satisfied. It is also alleged that the firm came into possession from C. S. Pierce and others for services rendered the two lots in question, which were placed in the name of George Machen. The complaint goes on:

"That on the 12th day of July, 1906, the said defendant, George Machen, conveyed the said lots 25, 26 and the south eight feet of lot 27, of the subdivision of block 3 of Altamont addition to defendant, W. W. Machen, in consideration of an individual indebtedness of said George Machen to said W. W. Machen; that said transfer and conveyance was without the previous knowledge and without the consent of and in fraud of the rights and interests of this plaintiff as a firm creditor of Dryer & Machen. And plaintiff is informed and believes and upon such information and belief alleges that the said defendant, W. W. Machen, at the time he accepted said deed from said defendant George Machen was fully cognizant of the fact that said property so conveyed was the partnership property of said Dryer & Machen and that said George Machen had no authority from said partnership to convey the same in satisfaction of his individual indebtedness."

Another Raisin Suit.

Griffin & Skelley have brought a second suit for the possession of the Ramacher raisins, this time against Ramacher and the Lyman Packing company as well. The complaint alleges that $1000 is due from Lyman for the raisins delivered to him by Ramacher and that claim oney is due to the plaintiff and not to Ramacher.

T. Uyeno has protested in the courts that judgment should not have been rendered against him in the suit of the Nakai Company against O. Ito, for goods delivered and never paid for. Uyeno declares that he had no interest in the goods, and when the complaint was served on him, he was assured by Ito that the latter would attend to the matter. As a matter of fact Ito defaulted n he suit, and judgment went against both defendants. Hearing on Uyeno's petition for vacating the judgment has been set for November 12th.

Suit for divorce has been begun by Eva M. Maguire against J. E. Maguire, through Attorneys Sutherland and Barbour. The couple were married in 1899 and have an adopted child, ager 4 years. The plaintiff alleges failure to provide.

Bank Would Be Safer.

MUSKOGEE, I. T., Oct 31.—At Russell, twenty-five miles south of here, two armed men called H. G. McGee, a farmer, out of his bed early today and forced him to divulge the hiding place of $2200 in gold, according to a dispatch received at the United States marshal's office here. The robbers, it is said, placed the money in bags and escaped to the hills, leaving no clue.

Today's Groceries

Holbrook's Sauce, bottle 20c
Codfish Strips, lb. 7c
Stetson's Beans, 2 lb. can 12c
Bananas, doz 25c
Apples, lb. 2c
Tomatoes, lb 2c

THE HOUSE THAT SAVES YOU MONEY

Time For Spraying

And we are headquarters for bluestone, sulphur and lime. Get our prices.

Raisin packers will be pleased to learn we have just received a shipment of 50-yard spools of baby ribbon—in all colors.

Some Special Values For Thursday

Munsing Underwear

Everything that's good can be said about this famous brand of underwear. It wears well, washes well, and is underwear perfection.

Munsing Underwear, 50c

Fleece lined vests and pants; fine ribbed; fine cotton yarn; seams all over-looped; silk crochet finished.

65c quality at 50c.

Munsing Underwear, $1.25

Knit from long-haired wool; with strong over-locked seams; silk crochet finished.

$1.50 quality at $1.25.

Munsing Underwear, 75c

Misses' fine ribbed wool underwear; silk crochet finished; overlocked seams.

New Fall Laces

There has never been a season before where so many demands have been made for pretty laces. Anticipating the styles we were wise in buying a very fine stock of the swellest laces the country affords.

Depend on us for your laces and you'll have the choice of the land.

New Sylish Collars

These little neck fixings have much to do toward a woman's costume and always add neatness and style.

It's impossible to have too many—so buy some of these new arrivals.

$7.50 Sample Skirts, $3.68

Sample skirts one of a kind; in broadcloth, fancy voiles, white voiles and panamas; prettily made.

$7.50 Panama Skirts $5.50

Panama skirts, in novelty and plain pleated effects; in regular and out-sizes; also some in grey plaid mixtures.

Ladies' $8.50 Skirts, $7

Stylish tailored skirts, in mixtures and plain cloths, black and blues; nicely pleated; excellent hanging.

Misses' $5 Skirts, $3.68

Misses' skirts in pretty novelty mixtures; pleated models; good fitting; neatly made and finished.

Great Embroidery Sale Saturday---See the Windows

Men's Rain Proof Cravenette Coats

$17.50

Good $20 Values.

Long, graceful overcoats of splendid Cravenetted materials.

The picture shows how the back hangs.

Notice how snug fitting it is—note how stylish; how dressy.

It's overcoat weather now, so step in today and get one of the water-proof rain-or-shine coats for $17.50.

All sizes.

Open An Account Here Today

Start in now to do all your trading at "The House that Saves You Money," and see how much better satisfied you will be.

We have thousands of satisfied credit customers on our books—people all over Fresno county have had accounts here for years and years.

We have never made any discrimination in prices between credit and cash customers. Our same low prices for good goods are always the same to all our patrons.

Open an account here today, November 1st—have the convenience of Credit and get advantage of our superior values all the time.

Lehnhardt's best candies, 50c a pound here.

UNION MEN MAY LOOK AFTER CHILDREN

Committee Appointed to Investigate and Give Relief.

At their regular weekly meeting last night, the Union Millmen decided to investigate the conditions under which a number of children are unable to attend school through dire poverty, as reported by Principal Sessions. A committee was appointed to take up the matter and the members were empowered to draw on the treasury for any sum in reason, to provide the unfortunate little ones with comfortable clothing. The Federated Trades are also willing to do their share in helping out, and it is probable that practical help will come through that body as emanating from the various branches of Fresno's organized labor. This, however, has not been officially given out, as the council has not met since the case was reported. The appointed committee of the millmen is composed of Messrs. Lochead, Baird and Woods.

HALLOWE'EN STUNTS END IN ARREST OF BOY

Keeping up Hallowe'en in approved boyish style, a gang of ten mischievous boys terrorized the neighborhood of Angus street last night. When firearms began to be discharged some of the residents grew alarmed. They were about to complain to the police when Officer Fair came up in time to see the bad bunch dispersing. The policeman, however, caught one of the number and turned him over to his father. The lad's name was Weirwick. He was cited to appear before Judge Briggs this morning. The boy claimed to have only blank cartridges, but a Mr. Young testified that the youth shot through a window.

By Way of Suggestion

We feel confident that you can make a pleasing selection here—if you desire anything in silver or rich cut glass.

We have scores of articles that may fittingly be chosen for wedding presents and a host of all sorts that make ideal gifts—costing and much appreciated birthday remembrances.

WARNER'S
1929-31 Mariposa St.

Come in and see our new Button Boot, the swellest creation in footwear.

Philadelphia Shoe Store
Near Court House Park.

I am Still headquarters for Fresno Local Souvenirs

as I make a specialty of securing everything new in that line. At my store you will find all the latest novelties in Woodwork, Seaweed Photographs, New Books, Raisin Souvenirs, Stork Souvenirs, Skate Souvenirs, etc., etc.

I carry by far the most complete line of Post Cards in the valley. Fifty varieties of local views, a large assortment of State and Coast Cards, the finest of Art Reproductions, new patterns in Leather Cards, a big assortment of Comics, a very fine Panoramic View of the City. Special orders taken for Card Collectors.

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Peter Pan Purses in Black, White, Red or Navy, 25c.

A PREMIUM STAMP WITH EACH 5¢ YOU BUY

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FRESNO'S DAYLIGHT STORE

Special Sale Ladies Unbrellas

Prepare for a Rainy Day

$2.00 Umbrellas, $1.69
Ladies' 26 inch 8-rib paragon frame umbrellas, covered with good quality gloria fancy horn handles, good assortment, regular $2.00 value, special $1.69

Silver Handled Umbrellas $1.75
Ladies' 26 inch Gloria Umbrellas, made on 8-rib paragon frames, steel rod, silver mounted handles, worth $2.50 to $3.00 each, special $1.75

Sterling Mounted Umbrellas $2.25
A fine Gloria silk umbrella, 26 inch paragon frame, steel rod with beautiful assortment of sterling silver mounted handles, $3.00 value; special $2.25

$6.50 Silk Umbrellas, $4.50
A fine 26 inch silk taffeta umbrella, 26 inch paragon frame, steel rod, 8 rib, magnificent choice of sterling silver, gold, pearl and ivory handles, $6.50 values; special $4.50

Ladies' $3.50 "Bonita" Shoes $2.98

See Window Display.

Twelve new fall styles in ladies street and dress shoes, of finest vici kid and patent colt skin, made on all the new lasts, light, medium or heavy soles Cuban and military heels, shoes that sell all over the United States in first-class shoe stores at $3.50, special for this week **$2.98**

Staple Silks Much Reduced

19 inch all silk black taffeta, 75c quality ..... 58¢
27 inch all black silk taffeta $1.35 quality ..... 98¢
36 inch all silk black taffeta, $1.60 quality $1.38
36 inch all silk black taffeta $1.25 quality ..... 89¢
19 inch all silk black taffeta, 75c quality ..... 58¢
27 inch all silk colored taffeta, $1.25 quality ..... 88¢
19 inch all silk colored Peau D'Cygne, 85c quality ..... 48¢

Ladies Rain Coats $10.50

Ladies' full length, all wool cravenette rain coats, in brown and green invisible stripes, cut latest automobile style, either tight fitting or loose back, an excellent rain or shine garment, all sizes, special **$10.50**

In The Basement Today

50c oil lanterns, complete, today ..... 25¢
Full pint bottle XXX washing ammonia, special ..... 19¢
25c imitation cut oil and vinegar bottles, new pattern ..... 15¢
Fels naptha soap, per cake 5¢

Quick Meal Steel Ranges

Our sales for the past month have been unprecedented. The finest range in the market for the money. It is no misnomer to call them Quick Meal. For a cheaper line we have

THE FRESNO EUREKA

an excellent range, strong and durable and we can recommend them in every way. If you are in need of a range it will pay you to look us up.

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Hang Your Faith on Our Carriages

They deserve it and will back your confidence up not only because of their beauty of style as they appear on our salesfloor, but because they'll carry you in safety and ease a long, long while. Honestly made from honest goods, our pricing will make you wonder. Full line of harness and robes.

FRESNO AGRICULTURAL WORKS

Appetizing Printing

Didn't know printing was made to eat? It isn't. But it often serves to make food attractive or repellant. We print butter wrappers that make you want to eat the butter; fruit cartons that make you sure the fruit is good, can labels that make your mouth water.

And our printing as attractively recommends other articles than food. Whatever your business, good printing will make it better.

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THE FRESNO MORNING REPUBLICAN

WEATHER

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 31.—Forecast: San Joaquin valley—Cloudy, cooler Thursday; possibly showers; light south wind.

FRESNO, Oct. 31.—Official readings at 5 p. m.:

Maximum temperature, dry bulb	68
Minimum temperature, wet bulb	52
Humidity	28
Wind, southwest, miles per hour	5
Maximum temperature	75
Minimum temperature	56

The disturbance central over the Lower Lake region yesterday has moved eastward off the Atlantic coast, causing light rain over eastern Texas, and light rain or snow over the Ohio valley, the Lower Lake region, and the middle and north Atlantic slope. High barometric pressure, with a moderate cool wave now occupies the eastern half of the country. It is snowing in West Virginia and the temperature is at or below freezing over the Lake region, the Ohio and Mississippi valleys. Moderately low pressure covers the region from the Rocky mountains westward to the Pacific slope, being lowest over the southern Plateau. With the exception of light showers on the north Pacific coast, no rain has fallen over the western states. On the Pacific slope, the weather is cloudy with nearly stationary pressure in the north and a rapid decrease in the south, indicating a possibility of showers at Fresno and vicinity Thursday.

J. P. BOLTON, Official in Charge.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Sweet Cider in Bulk at Hollands'.

Dr. Russell has returned.

Tally bags at the Republican.

Guineas for sale at J. S. Bradley's.

Dr. O. B. Doyle, 29-30 Patterson block.

Potted plants. Miss Parsons, 1917 Fresno street.

Sequoia Hotel and Cafe, regular Sunday dinner $1, with wine.

Friday the big shirt sale at "Einstein's." See our window display.

Chrysanthemum fete of the Episcopal church this evening at Armory hall.

Wanted—Women and girls to pack figs. Roeding's Fig Packing Co.

Bulbs imported from Holland, at Hobbs, Parsons Co., H and Tulare Sts.

Dr. Kearns devotes his time exclusively to your optical wants. 2036 Mariposa.

Anent the advent of Rainmaker Hatfield in this vicinity the weather man says that it is apt to rain today or tonight.

Los Palmas Lodge No. 266, F. & A. M. Called meeting this (Thursday) evening. Third Degree. All Masons cordially invited. A. B. Clark, W. M., C. E. Hamilton, secretary.

Just arrived, a carload of Pillsbury's Best Flour direct from Minneapolis. Come and get a sack of good old Eastern flour at Fowler Nursery and Warehouse Co., Fowler, Cal.

The Fresno W. C. T. U. will meet at 3 o'clock this afternoon at the residence of Mrs. William Smith, 2705 Fresno street. All members and friends of the organization are asked to be present. A special program has been arranged.

The funeral of Mrs. Payne will take place from the United Brethren church in Selma at 10:30 o'clock this morning. The body will be taken from the funeral parlors of A. B. Hopkins at 7 o'clock this morning. Interment will be at Selma.

A Mexican peon is said to have met with an accident by falling from a street car last night, but as he was picked up by his friends and carried off to his home before the nature of his injuries could be learned, his name or other particulars are not known.

CANNOT GO TO SCHOOL

Sad Instances Where Poverty Prevents.

Principal Sessions of Parental School Confronted With Serious Problem.

The appeal of Principal Sessions on behalf of a number of children who cannot attend school because of poverty has aroused considerable commiseration among the charitable minded of this city, and undoubtedly something will be done to alleviate the cases in question. Mr. Sessions, whose business it is to see that all children of proper age are in school, meets with much indifference and even opposition on the part of a few parents. These are easily dealt with, however, but the few cases where parents are in no position to send their children to school are very hard to handle. A little financial assistance would do much good in some of these cases.

In one case of a father and four children, the father is an ignorant laborer, who can only do common farm work, for which he receives $26 a month. The mother, who was sick for two years, died about three months ago and the children are left in a squalid home with no one to care for them, and they cannot attend school.

Another sad example is of a mother who has been deserted by her husband, and is left with three small children. The woman is sick and unable to work, so that the support of the whole family depends upon the few dollars earned by the oldest child, a boy of 11. Another mother, deserted by her husband, has a little girl in great need of medical treatment. The mother works when she is able, but is sick herself most of the time. One case is of a family of four children who are kept out of school by poverty due to the shiftlessness of the father, who spends all he makes for drink.

There are numerous other cases, just as pitiful, and no better cause could present itself to the charitable societies of the city. The matter has been before the supervisors, but there was nothing done to change the situation. These children are not only living in the present misery of poverty, but they are nearing a future of ignorance.

OVERALL TO PITCH SUNDAY

Big Leaguer to Play With Fresno Last Game.

Sporting Gossip from Crazy Fans in All Corners of Baseball World.

Next Sunday will witness the close of the baseball season in the Pacific Coast League and Fresno will have an extra attraction for the occasion. "Ovie" Overall will be on the firing line for the Raisin Eaters. Get your seats early for there will not be room for the crowd at Recreation Park. It is hoped that Frank Chance will be home before the end of the week and if he is here, will hold down the first sack.

Charlie Doyle occupied the second bag in yesterday's game in the place of Casey who is laid up temporarily with a stiff neck. Doyle was the star, missing nothing that came his way and going out of his position for many others.

Since big Larry McLean has left the Portland club, Donahue has had a chance to show what he can do with the mask and mit. He has been catching very pretty ball lately. Yesterday he got a wild pitch and held it, although he had to roll over to do so. There was an eager Raisin Eater on third and this saved a score.

Although, it is better to be slow than to get killed, it seems to the fan that some sort of agreement could be reached between the Santa Fe and the street car company whereby the railroad company would not haul out a switch engine and run it back and forth over the Tulare street crossing every time a Recreation park car laden with fans makes its appearance in the distance. This is actually the case and no matter how much time it might take to uncouple the cars from the engine, during which time, the engineer might wait for the car to cross the tracks, the cars wait until the Santa Fe tells them that they can have the crossing.

Baseball produces more cranks and makes otherwise sane men do more idiotic things than any other thing in the world," says Hugh Fullerton in last Sunday's Chronicle.

One of the funniest exhibitions of baseball feeling ever given came the Sunday night after Comiskey's White Stockings had cinched their claim to the championship of the world.

The scene was in Fred Pfeffer's cafe, and the first actor was a little man, well dressed, with half a tide on. He was gloomy, dejected, disappointed, heart broken over the defeat of the Cubs. The full force of the thing was sinking in upon him. He was trying to figure out how a team which, on paper, ranks fifth in the American League could wallop a team which outclassed all the other teams in the National League. His gloom pervaded the entire cafe. He stood shaking his head, muttering to himself, and mourning. Pfeffer came along and said:

"Cheer up!"

"I can't," said the little man. "I feel like a dog."

"Well," remarked Fred, "why don't you act like a dog, then?"

"I'll do that," remarked the little man. He backed out of the door, and, an instant later, came crawling under the swinging doors on hands and knees.

"Now bark," said Pfeffer.

"Bow, wow, wow!" barked the little man, dismally.

"Play dead," said Pfeffer.

The little man rolled over, closed his eyes, and lay limp.

"All right," said Pfeffer, laughing, "You've proved it."

About five minutes later in came a big, handsomely dressed man, trying to drown his grief over the disappointment. Every moment he broke out into profanity, cursing Chance, abusing Brown, swearing at Ruelbach.

"Cut that out," ordered the little man. "You don't feel any worse about it than I do, but I won't stand for your abusing them."

"Whats a fellow going to do to show how bad he feels?" asked the big fellow, piteously.

"Why, I felt like a dog, and they told me to act like a dog, and I did."

"You did," asked the big man seriously. "I feel that way myself."

"Then get down and play dog."

The big man went out, crawled in under the swinging doors, barked, played dead, rolled over, and begged, while twenty White Sox admirers yelled.

"The slickest thing I ever did in baseball," remarked Frank Chance during a fanning bee, "was when I won a game of ball for Sullivan, Ind., with a nickel's worth of vaseline.

"I was a kid then, visiting relatives down at Sullivan, and playing with the town team. We were playing the team from Star City, and I was catching. The vaseline I bought to put on a sore finger, for in those days I smashed a finger an inning on the average, and I was carrying it in my pocket. The bottle broke, and, after extricating the glass, I carried around 5 cents' worth of vaseline loose in the hip pocket. We had the game won in the ninth, when Star City commenced to hit, and threatened to beat us out. The'r best batter came up and, without thinking, I picked up a bat and handed it to him. My bare hand was smeared with vaseline, and the grease covered the handle of the bat. The first time that fellow struck he threw the bat clear over third. When they threw it back, I smeared more vaseline on it, and it slipped again. By that time he was so worked up that he struck out and threw the bat almost over the fence. I greased bat handles for every hitter that came up after that, and it worked like a charm. I think they scored three runs, but we held them safe and beat them."

BORN.

ADELSBACK—In Fresno colony, near Fresno, October 31, 1906, to the wife of P. F. Adelsback, a son.

DIED.

STOCK—In Sanger, October 31, 1906, Edward Stock, aged about 50 years. Funeral announcement later.

Fairbanks Touring Indiana.

INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 31.—Vice President Fairbanks began a four days' speaking tour of Indiana today, during which all parts of the state will be visited.

JACKSON, Miss., Oct. 31.—The condition of Bishop Charles B. Galloway, who was last night stricken with congestion of the brain, shows decided improvement.

Skirts on Special Sale

The Greatest Bargains of the Season

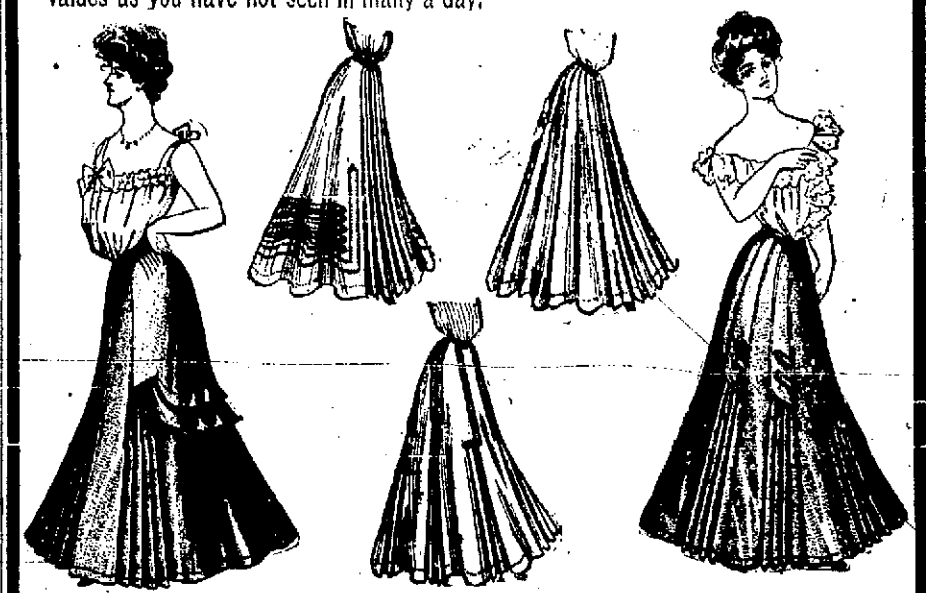
ON

Friday, November 2, 1906

It is worth any woman's while just to come and look at our **Show Windows**, and see the extensive display of these excellent skirts.

We have given some remarkably good values in skirts in the past, but we unhesitatingly say that this is the greatest offering ever made in point of quality and value.

To add to our already extensive stock the timely arrival of a case with about 250 assorted skirts in various materials, styles and colors, which were bought at a great discount to close out entire lots, enables us to furnish you such values as you have not seen in many a day.



$2.19 for Regular $3.50 Values

Fancy suiting skirts in blue mixed and grey mixed, also a line of grey alpacas, both pleated panel front and back, a splendid value at their regular sale price, $3.50, but an unparalleled bargain on Friday at $2.19

$2.95 for Regular $4.00 and $4.50 Values

This lot comprises an assortment of blue mixed and fancy grey suitings, full pleated, fold foot trimmings; also blue and black alpaca skirts made of excellent material; all full tailor finish.

Remember $4.00 and $4.50 values on Friday only $2.95

$3.85 for Regular $5.00 and $5.50 Values

Three lines of latest styles black, blue and mixed grey panama skirts, pleated panel front and back, fancy strapped button trimmed; all strictly tailored.

Remarkable bargains at our special sale on Friday $3.85

Our Candy Dept is ready to supply your orders for the choicest chocolates and fruit candies.

Louis Einstein & Co.
BETTER GOODS

Gold Discount Stamps in Every Department.

ENDS SUCCESSFUL TERM.

The Rev. Andreasen of the Immanuel Danish Lutheran church at Easton will preach his farewell sermon to his congregation at the morning service next Sunday. Mr. Andreasen leaves Easton next Monday, terminating a successful five years' pastorate of the church at that city. He will take charge of the Danish Lutheran church at Waupaca, Wisconsin, and will take his family with him.

LA CROSSE, Wis., Oct. 31.—Judge Fruit in the Circuit court today appointed receiver for the Mexican Plantation Company, capitalized at $600,000.

Qualifications of L. Parker Timmins.

As some people appear to desire to question the capacity of Mr. L. P. Timmins to discharge the duties of the sheriff's office, except as to his admitted and exceptional ability in the line of criminal work and in the arrest and conviction of criminals, I wish to say that, during my term as sheriff, Mr. Timmins had charge of the civil processes in my office and at that time we handled the sales of property and insolvency proceedings not now handled in the sheriff's office at all; all of this business was handled by Mr. Timmins promptly, capably, honestly and to my entire satisfaction, and to the satisfaction of the people.

Mr. Timmins has been unjustly criticised for shooting a prisoner that was attempting to escape. He was fleeing with the goods on him, the result of a burglary just committed. Mr. Timmins fired to induce him to stop, but he jumped up in crossing a ditch and was killed. This is the only incident of the kind ever occuring in Mr. Timmins' career. The matter was investigated by me and the coroners' jury, and we were all satisfied that Mr. Timmins acted in good faith and without fault. Wm. Shaw, present chief of police, had a warrant for the man and is familiar with the facts. Respectfully,

JAY SCOTT.

A. J. Paterson, Piano Tuner, 1227 R St. Phone Black 195.

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For example, take the old style bifocal or far-and-near glass with the seam across or the piece pasted on. Don't they make you look old, and give the face an unclean look?

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MADERA MATTERS

Needham, Webb and Others Address Voters.

Ostrander of Merced Compliments Attorney General on Support of Langdon.

MADERA, Oct. 31.—The people of this place were treated to some winning campaign talks from Congressman Needham, Attorney General U. S. Webb and others on the Republican ticket last night. The party was met at the depot by a band and escorted to a hotel, where they were met by members of the Republican county committee. After a banquet, all adjourned to the Athletic hall, where Chairman Theile called the meeting to order and introduced W. L. Williams, as chairman of the evening.

The first speech was made by F. G. Ostrander of Merced. He devoted himself to state and legislative matters, and took occasion to compliment the attorney general for the active support extended District Attorney Langdon in his fight against the Ruef gang of grafters in San Francisco. Colonel K. Whitmore of Stanislaus county who is a candidate for the assembly from this district, followed in a brief but pointed talk. A recess was then filled in by selections of music by the band, and then Congressman Needham addressed the meeting. His words were upon the bearing of national politics on the present campaign. He also dwelt upon irrigation laws as they now stand, with certain amendments required. Attorney General Webb followed in a lengthy speech in which he touched upon the issues of the political question as related to his office. Pleasing musical numbers were contributed by T. J. Zekind, with Mrs. W. C. Maze presiding at the piano. The program included a couple of campaign songs. The party left on the southbound train for Fresno to catch the northbound Owl from that city.

Sheriff Jones returned last night from Merced, where he went to get a man called Oliver Kates, who is wanted for stealing a horse. Kates had a partner named Perry Andrews, who was tried and convicted of a similar offense in Mariposa county, but escaped after jumping his bail.

U. M. Voice, a fruit buyer of Fresno, was here yesterday on business.

Valley lodge, No. 111, Fraternal Brotherhood, gave a social at their lodge room last night. Music, games and dancing were indulged in, and refreshments also partaken of.

Jean Chailleau was driving a horse hitched to a cart today and just at the intersection of D street and Yosemite avenue the animal began to kick, and then ran away, colliding with the corner of the skating rink building. Mr. Chailleau was thrown out, but escaped serious injury.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Matteson returned today from Modesto, where Mr. Matteson has been undergoing treatment for one of his limbs, which has bothered him more or less since he was 9 years of age. A short time ago a horse fell upon and further injured the limb, and his physician thinks amputation will have to be resorted to.

W. R. Harris of Fresno, a real estate man, is doing business in Madera today.

John Anderson, a well-known old-timer and early settler in Madera county, is down from his foothill home.

George L. and Ralph Fleming of Fresno are visiting in Madera.

F. L. Kincaid came up from Stockton last night.

N. S. McChukan of Los Angeles is in Madera today.

L. Drury of Stockton arrived in Madera last night.

M. D. Chamberlain of San Leandro is a Madera visitor.

A. E. Draper came up from San Francisco last night.

J. D. Byrne arrived in this city from Oakland last evening.

Harry Perier returned last night from a visit of several weeks to points on the coast.

C. Q. Bennett of San Francisco arrived in Madera last evening and remained over night.

R. C. Balch of Stockton is a Madera visitor today.

Ferd Spence of Danforth, Illinois, arrived in Madera yesterday.

C. G. Freman, a Fresno attorney, is in Madera today on legal business.

L. R. Stevenson is a recent arrival in Madera from the Lone Star state.

Word has been received by friends in this city of the death of Mrs. Al Glaves, a former resident of Madera, which occurred some days ago at El Paso, Texas.

F. Winnie, Peter Roy, H. W. Janes, Joe Bayens, C. Van Voorans and E. E. Jones arrived from San Francisco last night en route to the Sugar Pine mills in the mountains.

Frank Holland and N. H. Apitzen were two San Francisco arrivals in Madera yesterday afternoon.

C. F. Bullock and Charles H. Orndorff arrived from Los Angeles a few days ago and will locate in Madera.

C. Van Timmons, superintendent of copper mines at Daulton, is loading a shipment of ore at Daulton station for the smelters at Baden.

The ladies of the Christian and Methodist churches will serve election dinner in the Glas building Tuesday, Nov. 6th.

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BAIL JUMPER FOUND AND FINED IN COURT

Grant Shores, the Colored Defendant Who Was Missing, Relieves Anxiety of Bondsmen.

By disclosing his whereabouts, Grant Shores, colored, has removed a load of anxiety from the minds of his bondsmen who put up bail for his appearance last July. Shores was charged in July last with cruelty to animals at the instance of a complaint filed by the Humane Society, and got released on bail furnished by Attorney Van Meter and A. Schweizer. The case was to come up on Tuesday morning when the witnesses were present, but the defendant was missing. It was then up to his bondsmen to find him or else pay $50 in default. The two made a hurried search for the fellow and finally located him. He was fined $5 and attorney's costs in Judge Briggs' court yesterday afternoon.

Flume Hand Dies in Sanger.

Edward Stork, a flume hand in the employ of the lumber company at Sanger, died at a ranch about two miles that town last night after a brief illness. He was unmarried and about 50 years of age. Little is known of the man. The remains were brought to this city and placed in the morgue of Strother's & Bean, where they will be held pending word from friends.

HANFORD POLITICS

Congressman Needham Addresses Large Audience.

Gillett's Majority in Kings County Estimated at One Hundred.

HANFORD, Oct. 31.—Congressman Jas. C. Needham was the principal speaker at a meeting of Republicans held this evening in the Hanford opera house. The seating capacity of the auditorium was taxed and all listened with interest to the issues of the campaign as they were ably and cleanly discussed by Mr. Needham. The chairman of the evening was Hon. E. T. Cooper, and the proceedings were enlivened by campaign songs and music by the Hanford band.

Politics is the one topic of conversation in Hanford and Kings county with a daily increasing interest as election approaches. Conservative estimates give Gillett a majority in Kings county of about 100 votes.

Miss Majorie Musgrave was hostess at a Hallow'een party this evening.

One of the most delightful social affairs of the season was a Hollowe'en party given last evening by the Misses Gurnee at their home on West Eighth street. The decorations were attractive, especially those of the dining room, where autumn leaves, pumpkin lanterns and candles with unique candlesticks of carrots made the scene a particularly striking one. The young people spent the evening in playing Hallowe'en games, after which a supper was served, the menu being an original and appropriate one. At a late hour the guests departed, all rendering a vote of thanks to their charming entertainers.

Thomas T. Redenbaugh and Miss Effie May Buell, were united in marriage in Hanford today, Justice Geo. L. Meadows officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Redenbaugh will continue to reside in River Bend.

W. C. T. U. CONVENTION PASSED RESOLUTIONS

President Is Requested to Mention Liquor Traffic Evil In His Annual Message.

HARTFORD, Conn., Oct. 31.—With jubilee exercise given by the presidents of the state organizations, the national convention of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, which has been in session here since last Friday, was brought to a close tonight.

In point of numbers and volume of business transacted, the convention is a record breaker. The adoption of a number of resolutions, among them one asking President Roosevelt to mention in his annual message to congress the liquor traffic as "one of the evils that menace our nation," together with a number of other recommendations of interest, were among the features of the day's proceedings.

At the jubilee exercises tonight, the prize membership banners were presented.

PROPOSED MONUMENT TO SECRETARY SEWARD

Seattle People Would Thus Memorialize the Acquisition of Alaska By this Country.

SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. 31.—A movement has been inaugurated in Seattle to erect a monument to perpetuate the services of William Henry Seward, secretary of state under Lincoln and Johnson by whom was negotiated the treaty with Russia whereby the United States acquired possession of the District of Alaska for a consideration of $7,200,000. It is proposed to erect by popular subscription a monument in the heart of the city, to be unveiled on the same day that the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition is opened to the public, which is set for 1909. Since the acquisition of Alaska by the United States, more than $105,000,000 in gold has been dug out of the ground.

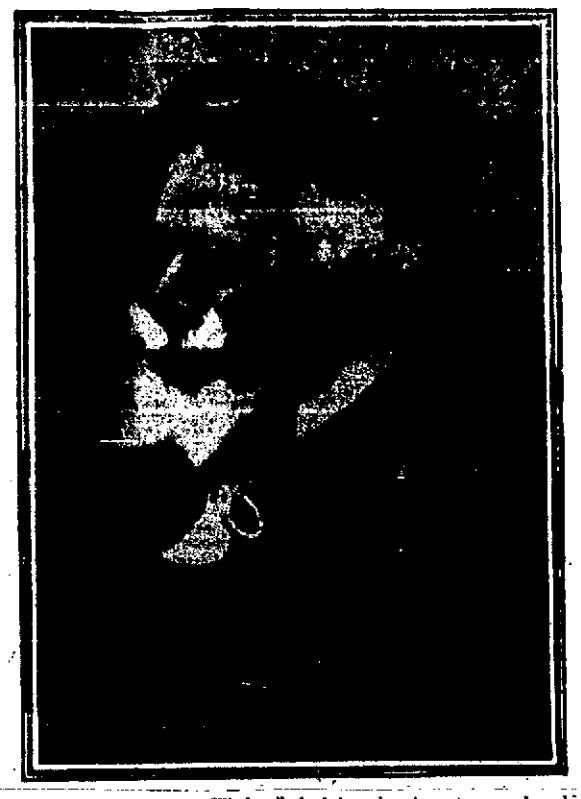
CONREID OPERA COMPANY PAYS NO DIVIDENDS AS RESULT OF EARTHQUAKE

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—The effects of the San Francisco earthquake on the Conreid Metropolitan Opera Company showed themselves at the annual meeting yesterday. It was decided by the directors that "in consequence of the great loss sustained last season through the San Francisco disaster, and the enormous outlay necessitated by the preparation for the coming important season," no dividends for last year would be paid.

Another Silver Purchase.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—The director of the mint today purchased 100,000 ounces of silver at 70.71 per fine ounce for delivery at the Denver mint.

LOUIS JAMES AS FALSTAFF



"The Merry Wives of Windsor," which will be seen at the Barton next Monday night, November 5th, is a masterpiece of good humor, neither lyric, dramatic, narrative nor historical, but an excellently well conceived conceit, constructed solely to amuse, as well as to fulfil a regal edict executed by good Queen Bess, who wishing to witness the adroit capidity of Sir John Falstaff, commanded Shakespeare to write a comedy depicting the various humors attendant to the Jolly Knight of Windsor in Love."

This Shakespeare did with an abandon in construction and execution that startled his followers and admirers, for he discarded all his characteristic style and methods of playwriting, and presented to his queen a play written almost entirely in prose, and illustrative of the humors and shortcomings of the country trades people and not the court of the nobility, as had heretofore been his custom.

"The Merry Wives of Windsor" is one of this great writer's best efforts and fairly bubbles over with brilliant characterization. "Falstaff" is undoubtedly the master comic creation of Shakespeare. His close woven and unflagging mirthfulness, together with his inexhaustible wealth of drillery, condones whatever moral shortcomings he may possess by his love for "sack" and his flirtatious propensities for the fair sex.

As the swagger Jolly Fat Knight of Windsor, Sir John, Louis James seems to have found a more harmonious and fantastic vehicle to display his irresistable mirth provoking faculties than has been his fortune for years, and reports speak very glowingly of his success.

His supporting company is said to be a most excellent one, and the wealth of scenery, accessories and other things with which he has mounted this production is said to be especially lavish and appropriate. The sale of seats will open this morning at 9 o'clock.

Great Rural Comedy Drama.

The Elleford Oakland Stock company will present at the Barton tonight the great rural comedy drama "Joshua Whitcomb," the companion play to "The Old Homestead," and the play that made Denman Thompson famous. The character of "Uncle Josh" is cast to James Corrigan, in which he made a tremendous hit in Oakland during the week that the play ran there. Mr. Norval MacGregor will be seen as John Martin; Agnes Williams Johns is cast as Miss Primrose; Wm. R. Abram will appear as the fop, Mr. Dolby, and the entire company will appear. For a fun producer there is no equal to this piece, every second contains a laugh and the patrons of the Barton are sure to appreciate the fact that Manager Elleford is going to put on such a high class play and still retain his popular price of 10, 20 and 30 cents.

Thomas' Arizona.

If Augustus Thomas is given time he is likely to give to every state in the Union the dignity of personal portraiture of its costumes and people in the stage told story. Following up his earliest success "Alabama," which was announced at the time as "the greatest American play," came "In Missouri," that excellent comedy drama in which Nat Goodwin added so conspicuously to his artistic laurels. "Arizona" is said to be better from an artistic standpoint than either of his previous efforts, and the title indicates the locale and suggests the people and the subject matter of the story. "Arizona" is not a melodrama, it has shown that amidst the crude surroundings of frontier army posts and cattle ranches, human hearts and human emotions are as tender as local, as responsive as they are to be found in more favored localities. The play, as will be remembered, introduces Uncle Sam's cavalrymen, the picturesque vaqueros of the western ranges, and of course, some delightful types of far West womanhood. The author has supervised the staging of the play, and in the incidental features of the work he has had the valuable expert assistance of Frederick Remington, the incomparable pictorial delineator of Western scenes and characters.

"Arizona" will be presented at the Barton next Sunday night, November 4th. The sale of seats will open this morning at 9 o'clock.

Checkers.

"Checkers," one of the successes of New York's last three seasons, will be presented at the Barton on Tuesday and Wednesday nights, November 6th and 7th. Both critically and financially this bid for this city's favor seems likely to prove one of the most noted successes of the present theatrical season as well. It has played fourteen engagements in New York City and it is booked to play another there this season. The play when seen here will be practically the complete New York company. The production is a large one and the play containing thirty-five prominent speaking parts calls for a company numbering 100 people for its proper interpretation. "Checkers" is a breezy, up-to-date story and is told in a manner which seems to please all classes. It teems with pathos and humor and there is in it the thrill of sensationalism sufficient to satisfy the craving of those who care for that sort of thing. The sale of seats will open next Saturday morning at 9 o'clock.

DRAWBRIDGE KEEPER WHO TAKES NO CHANCES

He Would Answer With His Life Any Failure of the Bridge Mechanism.

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—A London dispatch says the Atlantic City disaster has called attention to the condition of the numerous railway drawbridges in England, many of which are worked without exceptional precautions. The Great Eastern Railway, however, employs at each drawbridge a pilot man who is practically answerable for the safety of trains with his life. After fixing the bridge for an approaching train he must meet the train, which slows down and picks him up. He passes over the bridge aboard the engine and, in case of accident, would share its fate. After crossing the bridge he drops off the engine and awaits the next train.

SECRETARY TAFT SPOKE IN OMAHA

At Two Meetings the Halls Were Packed to Suffocation to Hear Him.

OMAHA, Oct. 31.—Secretary Taft spoke twice here today, once at the Burwood theater and again at the Boyd. Both places were packed to suffocation, while hundreds were turned away.

In his Burwood theater speech, Taft first discussed the trust question. He declared that while the Democrats talk a good deal about the trusts, there is a lack of sincerity in it all. They do not, in the first place, tell what the trust is, nor do they give any well defined plan for their suppression. The secretary then went on to define the term trust, as it is commonly used, and to enumerate the safeguards to be thrown around such institutions.

St. Helena Is Defenseless.

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SOCIAL AND CLUB NEWS

Now that Hallowe'en and its attendant frolics has been stowed away in memory books, society is turning its attention to new things, and with the dawning of November days come thoughts of winter festivities. Tonight comes an important event in social circles—the chrysanthemum fete given by the ladies of St. James Guild. Armory hall will be abloom with some of the fairest blossoms from Fresno's gardens (they boast some rare varieties of shaggy beauties) and there will be numerous other attractive booths where articles both substantial and ornamental will tempt purchasers. The Thanksgiving booth has been taking orders for some weeks and has such a tempting array of plum pudding, mince meat, fruit cake and other dainties prepared by some of the guild's most famous cooks that its popularity is assured.

The program is to begin at 8:15 and will be interspersed during the evening which, until dancing begins at 9:30, will be in the form of a promenade concert, allowing everyone a chance to inspect the booths and admire the array of chrysanthemums. The following numbers will constitute the program:

Waltz, "Queen of Roses.....(Weidt)
Y. M. C. A. Mandolin Club.
"Vespri Siciliani .....(Verdi)
Signor Waurell.
(a) "Nightingale" ..... (Nevin)
(b) "Swallows" ..... (Cowen)
Miss Maud Hohmann.
"Meditation" ..... Mandolin Club
Miss Abby Roberts and Mrs. J. W. Gearhart, accompanists.

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The Leisure Hour club met yesterday with Mrs. G. W. Cartwright and read the second and third act of Macbeth with Mrs. Miller. In referring to the knocking on the door in the third act, Mrs. F. M. Lane read from De Quincy's essays. Mrs. Abrams, who is here from Shreveport, Louisiana, and was formerly a member of the club, was present yesterday and will study with the club this winter. Next Wednesday a business meeting will be held at the residence of Mrs. J. C. Hoxie.

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Mrs. Rosana Bleaker, who has been the guest of her niece, Mrs. Frank Cook, for some weeks, returned yesterday to her home in Pasadena.

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The Madison club has postponed its social from tomorrow night until Saturday night.

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The ladies of the Aid Society of the Christian church at Fowler will be entertained at an all day session today at the home of Mrs. J. T. Patton. The gentlemen will be privileged guests today.

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The younger portion of society made merry last night at the beautiful Frank Rehorn home on S street, when the kind host and hostess opened their home to Miss Leora Schaeffer, who, with several scores of friends, celebrated Hallowe'en in a manner quite original and very delightful. This is one season of the year when conventions are thrown to the winds and the mysteries of the day fill the hearts of lads and lassies with a strange desire to tempt fate and learn what the future holds for them. In the revival of the old-fashioned charms there have been many unique additions and the possibilities for clever entertainers is almost unlimited. A most interesting sight was the interior of the house when it had been prepared for the evening's jollification. A number of mysterious little booths about the rooms gave an air of hidden charm and better still was the fun of probing their mystic depths for the secret fate concealed there.

Miss Marcia Edwards made a fascinating gypsy fortune-teller known as the "Sybil of Peresia," who startled her listeners with all sorts of secrets heretofore unrevealed. At a booth presided over by the "Witch of Endor (Miss Isabel Noble) charms were tried. Miss Gertrude Lindgren made a fantastic Ophelia, telling fortunes with white blossoms. Still another canopied nook was presided over by a wonderful wizard (Edward Einstein) who, with his telescope, revealed the mysteries of the stars in entertaining fashion.

Upon arriving, the guests were given padlocks for the boys and keys for the girls, with numbers attached, and corresponding numbers were partners for the evening. Grinning jack-o'-lanterns, black cats and quantities of yellow chrysanthemum and autumn leaves attractively decorated the rooms. In the center of the refreshment table in the dining room was a wonderful mystery pie with streamers of ribbons extending from it to each guest's place, which was marked with a place card in the shape of a yellow pumpkin. The pie contained various fortune telling devices which proved most interesting.

Enjoying the happy affair with Miss Leora were Misses Eva Storis, Edna and Gertrude Lindgren, Ethel Kennedy, Isabel Noble, Elizabeth Hawes, Minnie Marshall, Marfreda Danks, Clark Farley, Gussie Collier, Ethel Pierce, Marjorie Harris, Marcia Edwards, Leota Marshall, Luella Swift, Freda Olufs, Margaret Robb, Grace Osburn, Mabion Hanson, Isabel Hoover, Francis Cox, Annie Collins, Annie Stewart, Violet Hodgkin, Linnetta Morgan, Clinton Collins, Robert Collins, Neil McNulty, Waverly Waggoner, Floyd Cowan, Alfred, Will and Albert Becker, Ferroll Kittrell, Carl Lisenby, Louis McWhirter, Bertram Gearhart, Penn Cummings, Edwin Einstein, Gus Hoover, Roy and Guy Shannon, Alex Robb, Fred Moore, Frank Short, Reni Marshall, Walter Byrd, Howard Fisher, Chester Warlow, James Spratt, Harry Paulden, Archie Jack, Donald Webster, Charles Barnum, Chester Minard, Lamar Harris, Will Truxaw and John Morgan.

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Miss Edna Cooper, the announcement of whose engagement to John Meux has made her the center of attention among her friends, was the complimented guest yesterday at a clever and original shower planned in her honor by Miss Alma Higgins. It was not a shower in the ordinary sense of the word, but as to its surprising features and its reference to things matrimonial, it might have been termed "any-old-kind-of a shower." It was an immensely jolly and successful affair, anyway, and started the round of engagement gayeties with a merry send off. The guests were received in the living room and enjoyed a half hour or so of informal chat and an interesting game of consequences in which the names of the engaged couple figured conspicuously, much to the amusement of the listeners. At the proper moment the doors leading into the reception room were thrown open and the company ushered into a room of darkness, lit only by spooky-looking jack-o'-lanterns and revealing a gruesome atmosphere in which weird looking bats disported themselves, green and yellow streamers adding further to the grim, ghostly decorations. Over the fireplace hung a huge cauldron containing charms for the bride-to-be in the shape of face creams, cosmetics and like aids to beauty. Here the contents of the shower was bestowed upon the prospective bride, among the articles being a duster to sweep the gold from her husband's pocket, a recipe book telling how to cook husbands, a whisk broom to sweep cobwebs from the azure skies. Some clever bits of rhyme and a series of "Don'ts" accompanied the gifts which created no end of fun and revealed some keen wit. Refreshments in keeping with the occasion closed this delightful afternoon, which was enjoyed with the guest of honor by Miss Lillian Dunn, Miss Grace Graham, Miss Maud Muller, Miss Elsa Einstein, Miss Ethel Juarez, Miss Ino Dickinson, Miss Annie Meux, Miss Tessie Huser, Miss Margaret Clark, Miss Aline Edwards, Miss Annabel Cummings and several others.

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Miss Grace Shaver will be hostess today at a luncheon complimentary to the three prospective brides, Miss Mildred Rorick, Miss Ada Ferguson and Miss Edna Cooper.

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The Wednesday club met yesterday with Mrs. M. K. Harris for a day's study of California history and landmarks. There were some particularly interesting papers of real local interest presented for the entertainment of the members. Mrs. J. G. Rhodes gave a characteristically original and delightful paper, "Pioneer Days in Fresno." No one is better qualified than she to give interesting facts of those days and to express them in a charming way. Mrs. S. F. Hadsell had another splendid paper upon "History and Love of California Indians," which was instructive as well as entertaining. Mrs. Frank Cook told a fascinating little tale, "A True Story of Early Days in Fresno," which was listened to with the greatest interest. Quotations from California poets was the opening of the program. Mrs. J. E. Hughes will be hostess next week.

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At the Young Women's Christian Association last night occurred one of the jolliest and most unique of the many enjoyable Hallowe'en celebrations on record. The girls of the association, assisted by the ladies of the social committee, had arranged for as jolly an evening of fun as could possibly be thought of. For days plans have been progressing and no effort was spared to make the event a red letter one in the social life of the association.

Autumn leaves and fruits in a bewildering array of brilliancy brightened the cozy social hall, which lends itself easily to the decorative schemes. Garlands of beautiful red and gold leaves decked the walls while half way down the hall a perfect network of graceful vines formed an effective archway. Pumpkins carved in jack-o'-lantern shapes were of course in conspicuous places and baskets of apples with tall jars of glossy leaved huckleberry completed the adornments of the pretty room.

The social committee who had the affair in charge included Mrs. J. D. Morgan, Mrs. M. K. Harris, Mrs. Charles Bonner, Mrs. A. D. Ewing, Miss Winnie Vaier.

Mrs. Bonner was in charge of the games of the evening and there was a delightful and varied collection of all the old-fashioned love charms with which to tempt the fate of all the maidens fair and youths who came as guests. In a large caldron over which a gruesome witch presided the girls fished for fortunes, finding therein an article indicating the profession of their future husbands. Jumping the candlesticks determined the month of marriage most certainly while blowing out the candle blindfolded decided the number of years before marriage. Bobbing for initialed apples was another merry amusement, while a flower cake with a ring on top laid to be skillfully cut in sections without disturbing the ring—otherwise no luck at all. On rods suspended from the chandelier hung pieces of bread, cake, candles and peppers, the successful capturing of which indicated commonplace life, peaceful life, a delightful life and a spicy life, according to the article captured blindfolded. Tiny twigs buried in the sand also contained fortunes which had to be dextrously drawn out with the teeth. Peter Piper and his peck of pickled peppers was by all odds the most interesting young man present and kept everybody hopping who attempted to trifle with him. A fortune teller revealed darkest secrets of the heart.

The evening began with a program suitable to the character of the night. Miss Tuttle played on the piano, while the witch scene from Macbeth was realistically presented by Miss Hammond, Miss Hersey and Miss Redfield. A sextet in monotone was likewise an entertaining feature, including the following participants effectually disguised in sheets and pillow cases: Misses Lulu Gilbert, Nellie Debolt, Anna Buckley, Myrtle Anderson, Delia Wakefield, Miss Hammond. A clever Hallowe'en reading was given by Miss Hersey in her bright, entertaining manner.

The most tempting of refreshmnets consisted of luscious little pumpkin pies, milk and apples. Mrs. A. D. Ewing and Mrs. M. K. Harris had this department in charge. The following young ladies conducted the games: Misses Nellie Debolt, Vida Scott, Alena Wright, Ruth Nill, Mortimer Lamkin, Lida Gilbert, Isabel Redfield, Ada Showers. The evening was an unqualified success, enjoyed by the girls and their guests and repeating the happy time of former occasions when the girls of the association have made merry and shown their ability as charming entertainers. The social life of the association is one of its pleasantest features and is intensely appreciated by the girls, who find such a beautiful home life within its sheltering walls.

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Mrs. Frank Ball has the distinction of giving the first formal card luncheon of the season yesterday at her attractive new suburban home, which has recently been completed to replace the one which burned last year. It was a delightful affair, in every way, and planned with the careful attention to detail which is characteristic of this hostess' entertainments. The luncheon table was inexcerpibly lovely in its autumnal decorations, arranged with beautiful effect. Piled high in the center were clusters of deep wine-grapes arranged with masses of exquisitely shaded leaves, and the place cards, which served later as score cards, were much admired for their artistic designs of leaves and bunches of grapes. After luncheon, "500" proved as fascinating as usual, Mrs. Frank Romain winning the first prize, a handsome hand-painted plate of rare design, and Mrs. Gottschalk, the second, a smaller plate beautifully decorated.

The guests were Mrs. George Monroe, Mrs. Frank Short, Mrs. Frank Romain, Mrs. H. O. Buker, Mrs. Gottschalk, Mrs. Oestricher, Mrs. C. B. Shaver, Mrs. W. P. Lyon, Mrs. H. A. Pratt, Mrs. J. D. Gray, Mrs. Edward Elliott, Mrs. Willis Pike, Mrs. A. J. Hudson, Mrs. Florence Breed, Mrs. Arthur Long, Miss Grace Shaver, Miss Mildred Rorick and Miss Eugenia Miller.

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The second of Mrs. Ball's entertainments will occur on Saturday, when she gives a card party, and on Wednesday next she will give a second luncheon.

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In Armory hall last night the young men of St. John's parish were the genial hosts at a grand Hallowe'en ball which proved to be a financial as well as a social success. Fully 300 guests joined in the merry whirl of dancers. Flags of all sizes draped the hall in brilliant fashion and formed a gay background for the dainty gowns of the ladies, who had plenty of partners to make dancing a pleasure. Mr. Harvey made an ideal master of ceremonies and did much toward the success of the dance. Everybody's comfort was well looked out for by the attentive hosts who worked so earnestly to make the ball a success.

Mrs. Boyce and Miss Crane were in charge of the refreshment room, where the dainty tables were decorated in carnations, and fragrant coffee with cake and sandwiches were served the dancers. The patronage was most liberal and the hosts have added very materially to the fund for their booth at the coming Catholic bazaar. The following committees helped in the success of the ball:

Arrangements—Bart Harvey, John McSherry, C. A. Kienborts, Tom Delury, Stanley Condron, Tom Collins, John A. Neu, Leo A. Siebert, Eugene Rahill, James Doyle, Antonie Piper.

Decorating—Misses Alice McSherry, May Phillips, Anna Scheid, Helen Birmingham, Rose Schmitt, Grace Stewart, Kate Hennelly, Ida O'Neil, Elizabeth Boutin, Gertrude Mernin, Isabel Birmingham, Florence Fleming, Nettie Shelley and Miss Sweeney.

Reception—Mesdames Bart Harvey, Tom Collins, James Doyle, William Ryan, James Gallagher, Hennelly, Boyce, Joseph Coyle, J. J. O'Neill, Clarence Foin, A. Bracker and the Misses M. Collins, Lizzie Foin, Ollie Stewart, Bell Hurd and Julia Fleming.

Floor—John McSherry, Joseph Coyle, John Hertwick, Mike Sullivan, William Boyd, John Birmingham, Joe Cleambile, Pat McGarry and Mr. Hughes.

NOVEMBER 6TH IS BILLY'S BIRTHDAY

Why Future State Treasurer Williams Will Celebrate Doubly.

"Billy" Williams is going to have a great birthday party this year. When Billy was born, he arranged that the happy event should take place on November 6th. And afterwards his friends arranged that he should be nominated by the Republicans of this state for the position of state treasurer. So next Tuesday, as they cast their ballots for Billy, each will be making a small contribution to the birthday party that the future state treasurer will hold in celebration of the event.

It seems a curious coincidence, indeed, that the election day should occur this year on November 6th, when W. R. Williams, whose natal day it is, is running for state office on a ticket that is going to make a big winning.

REPUBLICAN MEETINGS AT DEL REY AND SELMA

M. B. Harris and Assemblyman Drew and Chandler Spoke.

Del Rey last evening had the first campaign speaking heard in that small and youthful, but extremely progressive little town. It was arranged that the Republican candidates should go there after they had been heard at Selma. There was a good sized crowd, to whom M. B. Harris spoke during the early part of the evening. Then the candidates appeared, headed by Messrs. Chandler and Drew, assemblymen. All were well received, but the name of Gillett aroused the most enthusiasm, bringing forth round after round of applause.

A good meeting was held also at Selma. Drew and Chandler, J. P. Bernhard and others spoke.

"A RAGGED HERO" WELL PLAYED

"A Ragged Hero," a play that is as old as the history of melodrama, was the bill at the Barton last night. The Elleffords produced the rather impossible play with great credit. James Corrigan as Willie Wilflower, did some of the best character acting ever seen here. Norval McGregor, Rupert Drum and Albert Easdale sustained their characters very well. Miss Estelle Warfield made the hit of the evening as Julie Stone.

Atlanta Post Resolution.

At a regular meeting of Atlanta Post, No. 92, G. A. R., held on Oct. 20th, the following resolution was unanimously passed:

Resolved, that the adjutant is hereby instructed to publish a notice in one or both daily papers notifying the public that one G. H. Bonnifon, candidate for county auditor, claiming to be a Grand Army man, is not a Grand Army man and could not become one, not having been mustered into any regiment during the civil war, from 1861 to 1865. H. V. PARKER, Adjutant.

Y. W. C. A. Gymnasium Classes.

Business girls' class Monday 7:30 to 9 p. m., military drill, apparatus work, basket ball. Class for women Tuesday 9:30 to 10:30 a. m. Grammar school girls' class Wednesday 4 to 5 p. m. and Saturday 9:30 to 10:30 a. m. Drills, games and basket ball.

Class for children 10 to 12 years old Friday 4 to 5 p. m.

Class in elocution Thursday 8:15 p. m. Terms: Gymnasium $5 for term of 8 months; elocution, $3 for term of 4 months. For further information inquire at Y. W. C. A. rooms, 1314 I St. Phone 817.

SPAIN'S RISE TO POWER

Subject of Don E. Smith's Lecture Last Evening.

Ferdinand and Isabella, the Inquisition and Discovery of America.

A good-sized audience greeted Don E. Smith in the assembly hall of the High school building last night to hear the second lecture of the cause of "The Rise and Fall of the Spanish Power in Europe and America." A brief outline of the history of the occupation of the Iberian peninsula by the Romans and afterwards by the Saracens was given, and then the conquest of Granada by the united force of Ferdinand and Isabella was dwelt upon as the final blow that was given to Moorish power in Europe. The "Catholic Monarchs" became supreme in Spain and their power rapidly extended in all directions. Sicily was conquered and possession gained in Italy. Naples fell into Spanish hands in 1500.

It was from the camp before Granada that Columbus was sent forth, authorized to embark upon the voyage that resulted in the discovery of America. On his return Granada had fallen into the possession of Ferdinand and Isabella and the discoverer was received by the Monarchs in a room in the Alhambra, the great Moorish palace.

In speaking of the Inquisition in Spain, the lecturer emphasized the fact that this peculiar institution of the middle ages was no more harsh or inhuman under Torquemada than it had been (for it was introduced late in Spain) under the French and Italian bishops. The Spanish king, Ferdinand, was zealous for the inquisition, principally because it afforded him an easy way of getting rid of troublesome subjects and of replenishing the royal treasury—the property of the victims going to the state.

The lecturer than turned his attention to the screen and very many illustrations were shown. The old city of Granada and particularly the Alhambra received the most attention. The famous rock of Gibraltar, showing the Moorish wall and the ancient citadel were shown. Views of Seville, Cordova and Madrid, with the royal palace were given. The peculiar Spanish sport of bull fighting was illustrated and explained. Altogether the lecture was highly interesting and instructive.

The next lecture, on "Charles the Fifth," will be given on Wednesday evening, November 14th.

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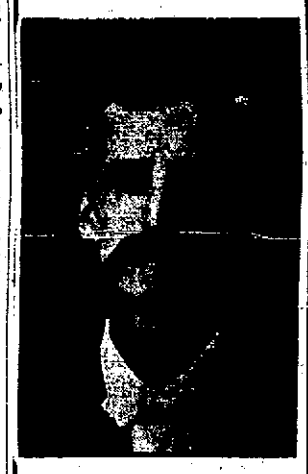

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5:10 a. m.—Southern Pacific for Merced, Lathrop, Stockton, Sacramento.
8:00 a. m.—Santa Fe, Merced, Stockton and San Francisco.
8:40 a. m.—Southern Pacific for Mendota, San Francisco and way points; connects for San Jose, and coast points.
9:55 a. m.—Southern Pacific (mixed) via Merced and Lathrop, for San Francisco and way points.
10:55 a. m.—Southern Pacific for Stockton, San Francisco and way points; connects for San Jose and coast points.
10:55 a. m.—Santa Fe for Merced, Stockton and San Francisco.
11:50 a. m.—Southern Pacific Overland for Merced, San Francisco, Stockton, Sacramento; all points East and North.
4:40 p. m.—Santa Fe California Limited, Merced, Stockton and San Francisco.

TRAINS LEAVE FOR POINTS SOUTH AS FOLLOWS:

3:25 a. m.—Santa Fe for Visalia, Tulare, Bakersfield and East.
6:45 a. m.—Southern Pacific (mixed) except Sunday, for Sanger, Reedley, and Porterville.
7:00 a. m.—Santa Fe for Hanford, Corcoran, Visalia and Tulare.
8:30 a. m.—Santa Fe, Visalia local, arrives Reedley, 9:23 a. m., Visalia 9:50 a. m., Tulare, 1:20 p. m.
8:40 a. m.—Southern Pacific for Visalia, Hanford, Coalinga and Porterville.
9:25 a. m.—Southern Pacific (mixed) except Sunday, for Clovis and Pollasky.
3:05 p. m.—Southern Pacific for Bakersfield.
3:18 p. m.—California Limited, Santa Fe, Bakersfield and East.
3:23 p. m.—Santa Fe for Visalia, Tulare and Bakersfield.
3:45 p. m.—Santa Fe for Hanford and Bakersfield.
6:20 p. m.—Southern Pacific for Visalia, Sanger, Reedley and Dinuba.
6:20 p. m.—Southern Pacific for Los Angeles and all points East.
11:00 p. m.—The Owl for Bakersfield and Los Angeles and all points East.

TRAINS ARRIVE FROM POINTS NORTH AS FOLLOWS:

3:15 a. m.—Santa Fe Overland from San Francisco, Stockton and way stations. Fresno sleeper set out.
12:40 p. m.—From Mendota and way points.
2:40 p. m.—Santa Fe from San Francisco, Stockton and way points.
3:00 p. m.—Southern Pacific from San Francisco, Sacramento and coast points.
3:10 p. m.—Santa Fe Limited from San Francisco and Stockton.
6:10 p. m.—Southern Pacific from San Francisco, Sacramento and coast.
10:25 p. m.—Santa Fe from San Francisco, Stockton and Merced.
10:30 p. m.—Southern Pacific train No. 50 from San Francisco and way stations.
11:05 p. m.—The Owl from San Francisco and way points.

TRAINS ARRIVE FROM POINTS SOUTH AS FOLLOWS:

12:45 a. m.—The Santa Fe from Bakersfield, etc.
2:25 a. m.—The Owl from Los Angeles and Bakersfield.
8:30 a. m.—Southern Pacific from Visalia, Sanger, Reedley and Dinuba.
10:30 a. m.—Southern Pacific from Bakersfield, Hanford Visalia.
10:45 a. m.—Santa Fe from Bakersfield, East.
11:35 a. m.—Overland from Los Angeles, Bakersfield, Tulare and way points.
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WANTED—To contract the sale of calves for six months from 25 choice cows. F. C. Campbell. P. O. Box 1023 Fresno.

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WANTED—Alteration hands for suit department. Apply at Gottschalks.

WANTED—Experienced second girl in private family; wages $30.00. Address Mrs. Patterson, 3125 Tulare.

WANTED—A good cook and housekeeper; good wages. 1625 K St.

GOOD WAGES for good carton maarr and also for packing crew. Paul Fruit Packing Co., Santa Fe Reservation.

WANTED—Girl for general housework in small family. 1415 N.

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WANTED—Competent girl to do cooking and housework. 1007 R.

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WANTED—A good cook. Wages $30. 948 K St.

HATS MADE and trimmed, your material used. Miss Glenn, residence 1730 J St. Phone Main 1363.

WANTED—A good cook and housekeeper at Mrs. C. Shannon's, Tulare, Cal., R. R. No. 1. Wages $30.

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WANTED— Miscellaneous.

WANTED—Second-hand furniture and stoves at City Furniture Co. 1143 K St. Phone Main 1877.

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WANTED—To rent, a stock and dairy ranch. Ed E. Wilson, Compton, Los Angeles county, Cal.

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WANTED—An incubator in perfect working order; capacity 200 eggs or over; state price. Address H. P. Dwight, Raymond.

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WANTED—Single and family washing and ironing. Work guaranteed. Phone Main 1366.

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CASH paid for chickens at tamale factory, 1353 J St.

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LOST—Lady's gold watch, with pin attached. Finder return to 840 N and receive reward.

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LOST—On J St., small white dog, with dim yellow spots; reward. Notify H. L. Williams, Fowler, R. R. No. 1.

LOST—Between Forsyth building and Effie street, a purse containing some gold and silver. Finder leave at Republican office. Liberal reward.

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SEWING—All kinds of plain sewing; children's especially. 115 Howard.

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DRESSMAKING—Mrs. Kate Skinner, Rooms 12, 13 and 14, Garibaldi Bldg.

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GEORGE A. CUSTER CIRCLE, No. 18, Ladies of the G. A. R., meets first and third Saturday afternoons of each month at 1:30 o'clock, Risley hall on Fresno street.
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CENTRAL CALIFORNIA LODGE NO. 43—Meets Thursday, 8 p. m., I. O. O. F. hall.

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40 acres—Price $6000; 20 acres full bearing Muscat vineyard and orchard; balance unimproved. Terms, $2000 cash, balance to be paid out of net returns from products. These are exceptional terms. The property should pay for itself in two or three years.

40 acres—Price $12,000; three miles from Fresno, on electric car line. This property yielded $4000 the present year. Terms, ¼ cash, balance in three annual payments.

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20 acres—Price $6000. All in heavy Muscat vineyard. Terms, ¼ cash, balance 1, 2 and 3 years.

5-10-20 and 40-acre tracts in Butler Park on electric car line; heavy bearing Muscat grapes. Price low; easy terms.

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Talk about a bargain. Here it is: 20 acres first-class highly improved land 3½ miles northeast of Fresno. Heavy sandy loam and sub-irrigated. 10 acres in full bearing Zinfandels; 3½ acres of Malagas; 3 acres of Sultanas; 1 acre of Muscats; 65 orange and lemon trees and small family orchard. This land is free from alkali and hardpan. Fine 6-room house, good barn, windmill and tank, water piped to house and barn; good chicken corral, and everything in first-class shape; 300 picking boxes, 2 plows, 1 cultivator, 1 good vineyard truck, about 5 cords of wood and about 10 tons of alfalfa hay in the barn. This is an ideal place and one of the finest locations in the country. It will show for itself. Price $6000.

10 acres near Fresno, all highly improved to berries, trees, vines and alfalfa. Fine 8-room house, good barn, windmill and tank, water piped to house and barn; good horse and carriage, with two sets of harness, good vineyard truck, all farming implements, household and kitchen furniture all go with the place. This is fancy suburban home and cannot be picked up every day. Price $4000.

20 acres near Fowler; 5 acres in fine alfalfa, 2 acres of Mammoth blackberries, 1 acre of strawberries, about 8000 rooted Emperor vines and about 50 peach trees. New 6-horse power gasoline engine in pump house, all set and ready for use; small house. This is a snap and a splendid location. Price $2300; $800 cash, balance long time.

20 acres in Lone Star; 16 acres in Zinfandels, balance unimproved. Fine land and a good location; all under irrigation; good water right. Price $2700, half cash, balance long time.

We have some of the finest and best improved twenties and forties in the county, and can suit anyone in quality or in price. Call and see us before you buy.

FOR SALE—4-room house, 3 lots; north part town; $450, if taken before Nov. 7th. Owner purchased ranch and must raise money. San Joaquin Investment Co., 1154 I. Main 290.

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FOR SALE Good business, with furniture and fixtures complete; owner must leave town and will sell at one-half of cost; choice location. Haber Bros. Co., 1140 J St.

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1 ACRE TRACTS EDGE OF TOWN, fine suburban homes, $300 and up, easy terms.

3-acre place, lovely little home with nice buildings, 1 mile from city, all improved, vines, trees and berries, good income; a snap at $3200.

10 acres, beautiful home on Orange Ave., close to town; all highly improved, revenue over $1500; splendid place and a bargain at $6500.

20 acres near Selma, all improved to trees and vines; no buildings; pays a fine income and is well located; only $3000; easy terms.

20 acres N. E. of town, 7½ miles, new place, first-class land with Church water; no alkali or hardpan; 10 acres alfalfa, 4 acres peaches, 4 acres Malagas, over $1000 worth of personal property; fine buildings; a snap for someone at $4200.

17 acres of full bearing Muscat vines, close in, a fine property and well located; $325 per acre; easy terms.

40 acres of full bearing Muscats, close in; no buildings; a fine producer; only $300 per acre. This is well worth the price.

80 acres of Muscat vineyard east of town; first-class land; only $250 per acre; near Butler's. Easy terms and a good buy for the money.

320 acres in foothills; all fenced; nice buildings; running water; 6 acres in apples; lots of wood; a splendid bargain for $1100; ½ cash.

160 acres 10 miles east; about 60 acres in Malagas and wine grapes, 50 acres in alfalfa; no buildings; a splendid property; Fancher creek land; water, fenced; extra valuable place at $110 acre; only ¼ cash.

185 acres of vineyard in full bearing Muscats and Malagas; produced over $13,000 this year; buildings, trays and boxes; a splendid investment that will pay for itself in 3 years; $35,000; part cash.

Come in and see our lists. Information cheerfully given. Don't buy till you see what we have to offer.
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FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE—Have you seen our 5-acre tracts on White's Bridge road? They are well located, and soil is the very best. Just remember the place; it is the Chandler Tract. Secure a place now. The street cars are to run in front of the property. Terms easy. KNIGHT & EWING CO., 1118 J St.

FOR SALE—Large five-room, thoroughly modern cottage, good condition, three corner lots, near North Park car line. Nice home or good investment. Bargain. Owner leaving Fresno. Inquire 407 Froelich Ave.

FOR SALE—40 acres alfalfa in Chandler Tract on White's Bridge road, near town, in 5-acre lots. 1-3 cash, balance 1 and 2 years, 8 per cent. Do not fail to investigate this offer. Nothing on the market to compare with it.

The new street car line is to pass these lots.
KNIGHT & EWING CO.,
1118 J Street.

FOR SALE—Two fine lots on Tulare Ave., near Augus St., for $300 for quick sale.

We have some private money to loan on city property.
KNIGHT & EWING CO.
1118 J Street.

FOR SALE.

160 acres west of city; 130 acres in alfalfa; all under good system of irrigation, ditched and checked. All fenced and cross fenced; 24-horse-power plant. Price $75 per acre; half cash, balance on good terms.

40 acres—8 acres Muir peaches, 6 Sultanas, 2 in alfalfa, 14 in Muscat, 10 in grain land. Good water right, 4-room house, good barn; 25 tons of grain hay, 100 picking boxes, 25 sweat boxes, one cow and all farming implements. Price $7500, $5000 cash.

HERE IS A SNAP for a quick buyer—Good 43-room lodging house centrally located; all new furniture, carpets, bedding; everything in tip-top shape. Owner wishes to sell on account of ill health. A bargain for someone. Three years' lease.
HAMBLETON & HAMBLETON,
2036 Mariposa St.

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1945 Tulare St. Main 687.

43 acres, vines, peaches and alfalfa; ½ mile of Clovis; farm implements, pair mules, 4-room house. $6000, ½ Cash.

Lindsay Orange Lands.
10 and 20-acre lots; 1-3 cash, balance three years.

Bargain in furnished house on Blackstone Ave.

WE CONTROL THE LAND of various banks and corporations; mostly unimproved; located from four to twelve miles from the city. Prices from $35 to $75 per acre, all on good terms. Ask anyone about
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***A fine vineyard and home just off the Sunnyside car line, for $6500, in long payments.

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***Will trade a forty-acre home place adjoining Sunnyside Vyd. on east for desirable city residence.

***160 acres finest 7-year old vineyard. Three miles from town, east. A bargain, price for the party with cash to meet 1-3 payment down.

***Fully improved orange orchards at Centerville and Lindsay.

***City residences in the most desirable portions of Fresno, $2500 to $10,000.

***120 acres just south of Minnewawa Vineyard, subdivided in 40-acre tracts. Time payments to suit purchasers.
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FOR SALE—40 acres near Fresno; 20 in raisin grapes; fine bearing condition; balance excellent land all leveled and fenced. Bearing figs around the 40. Plenty of water. Price $6000. Address for terms, P. O. Box 808, Fresno.

40 ACRES 3-YEAR OLD VINES—26 acres Muscats, balance shipping and wine grapes. New 3-room house; good barn and farming implements. Good proposition for a local man that knows values.
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FOR SALE—House with 2 ½lots on Jensen avenue. Must sacrifice. Come quick if you want a bargain. 469 Valeria.

FOR SALE—120 acres on Main avenue, 1¼ miles from Reedley. New house, new barn, windmill, fences, etc.; 60 acres planted in choice peach trees. A snap. Address Jesse Janzen and F. M. Blanchard, Grand Central Hotel, Fresno.

FOR SALE—A nine room, thoroughly modern house, two blocks north of courthouse; also five room cottage on Abby street. Inquire 1316 L street.

FOR SALE—320 acres near Wheatville, Fresno Co., all irrigated, suitable for alfalfa; $45 per acre.

An ideal home consisting of 6 18-100 acres joining the city limits of Gilroy, Santa Clara Co., on the south, all out to fruit. Good income-bearing place. Fine 7-room house with pantry, closets, etc. Pumping plant, 2 windmills, 3 tanks with 12,000 gal. tankage; water piped over the place. Incubator house, brooder houses with yards for 1000 chickens. Price $6000. Address J. J. Truman, Gilroy, Cal. R. D. No. 25.

FOR SALE—Forty acres in Temperance Colony; must be sold immediately; well improved. Call State 2724.

FOR SALE—
Orange land in Valencia Colony. Rich, deep soil; plenty of water; adjoining new town of Granada on S. P. R. R. Best investment in the state for large returns.

$75 per acre—80 acres of alfalfa; good buildings.

$6000—Fine modern home, 9 rooms; choice location.

$2050—Modern cottage, 5 rooms; only $500 cash.

$1100—2 lots and 5-room cottage; shade and large barn; ½ cash; a bargain.
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1930 Tulare St.

1264 acres very best alfalfa land; perfectly level; house, barn, windmill; 4¼ shares canal stock; $17 per acre.

20 acres fine land in peaches and Muscats; house cost $1500 to build; barn, implements: $5000; cash $2500.

FOR SALE—Five acres all in peach trees. Olive Av., at end of Fort Camp Av. Also his nice residence, all modern conveniences, at 468 Poplar Av. Cash buyer can get this property very cheap. W. C. Penn.

HALF SECTION ADJOINING the celebrated Fresno Irrigated Farms at $8 per acre. Will be sold as a whole or in 80-acre tracts.
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FOR SALE OR TRADE—For vineyard close in, new modern corner house of 5 rooms, north part of town. H. H., Box 29, Republican.

FOR SALE—Real Estate (Con.)

FOR SALE—Or will exchange for city property, 48 acres of No. 1 land; 22 acres in Muir peach trees, balance in garden; two-story house, barn, fenced. Price $6000.
CRUTCHER & HANSEN, 1005 J St.

BARGAINS.

$19,000.00..80 acres near Kearney Park, 40 acres Sultanas, 20 acres Muscats, 12 acres Zinfandels, 2 acres Olives, 3 acres alfalfa, produces a ton to the acre, 24000 trays, boxes and implements. Good buildings. $6000 cash, bal. easy terms. (No. 569.)

$12,000.00..40 acres, improved Temperance Colony, 30 acres Muscats produced 50 tons raisins this year. House, implements, trays, boxes. $8000 cash, bal. on Mtg. (No. 568).

EXCHANGES.

$40. Per acre, 160 acres orange land partly improved East of Fresno to Exch. for alfalfa and dairy ranch. (No. 570).

....40 Acre Dairy near Laton, fine land, good buildings, with or without stock. Exchange for a small place near Fresno. (No. 544).
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Get yours right away.

$110 and up
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GROWING ALFALFA near Rolinda at from $65 to $75 per acre. This is the well-known Houghton Tract, adjoining the "Kearney Ranch." Only a small amount left. Small payment down; good time on balance. Land suitable for any purpose.
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A BARGAIN—20 acres fine land 1 1-4 miles from Selma on county road and electric power line; 8 acres Muirs and Suskabans, 4 acres Muskats, bal. alfalfa and pasture; only $2750; good terms. Address Box 604, Selma.

FOR SALE—Twenty acres, 10 a. Zinfandel, 3½ a. Malaga, 2½ a. Sultana, ½ a. oranges; balance Muscats; new six-room house, barn, windmill and tank; water house and barn; three miles northeast town; first-class in every particular. Address L, Box 24, Republican.

FOR SALE—640 acres nice and level, no alkali, no hardpan; water only 24 feet; good watermelon land; only $7 per acre. P. O. Box 21, Fresno.

FOR SALE—A nice 5-room cottage close in; small cash payment down, bal. $25 per month. Address Owner Box 8, Republican.

FOR SALE—5-room cottage in 1700 block on I street. Inquire 1317 J.

We own and offer for sale the best 5 acre tracts near Fresno, first class soil with water right and will sell on easy payments.

We also have some fine bargains in vineyards and alfalfa lands.
WOY & MADSEN,
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TO LEASE—Lands of J. H. Glide, consisting of 8000 acres near Orosi, Tulare Co. Will be leased as a whole or in subdivisions. Apply to J. H. Glide, 910 H street, Sacramento, Cal.

FOR SALE CHEAP—On easy terms, lots 85 and 86, Fresno Colony, 2½ miles from city; on canal. All fenced and summer fallowed. L. S. Weymouth. Phone State 2356.

FOR SALE—40 acres alfalfa, 13 head dairy stock, team, implements, orchard, house, fenced; $1500. Phone Suburban 2315.

FOR INVESTMENT—

"Lindsay Acres."
(Orange Lands.)

For Sale by the
PERALTA INVESTMENT CO.
1036 J Street.

FOR SALE—40—20 in Muscat vines; balance in zinfandels and Thompson seedless; good house and barn; implements; near Fresno; fine place. Price $7500.

40—18 in alfalfa; balance prepared; house and barn; fenced. Price $2750.

20—5 in orchard; bearing; pumping plant; house and barn; 2 horses; harness; wagon; 1 cow, and implements; chickens; near town. Price $2500.

5 acres—near town; price $375; ¼ down; balance in 4 years at 5 per cent; Church water.

Nice house and 7 lots; barn; windmill; fenced; chicken yard and houses; snap. Price $1200.
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1005 J St.

ESTRAYED.

LOST—1 sorrel mare, 2 years old; foretop trimmed; blister mark right hind leg; white spot forehead. 1 bay pony, roached; scar right hind foot; branded left shoulder. B. F. Longcor, 1440 N.

ESTRAYED—One grey horse, with halter on; right hind leg cut. Finder please phone Main 1961.

ESTRAYED FROM PINE RIDGE—Pair of small brown mules; horse mule branded diamond on left shoulder; mare mule branded "J.R." on left stifle. Finder notify O. E. Kunde, Fresno or Phone Main 2527. Reward.

LOST—Dark bay mare, branded C on left hip; weight 1050, shod, foreton clipped. $10 reward for return to J. H. Hollingsworth, Reedley.

ESTRAYED—One light bay mule with halter and large lump under chin. Finder notify Mount Campbell Vineyard, R. F. D., Sanger, Box 72.

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HIGHEST cash price paid for laying Wyandotte and White Leghorn hens. W. C. Penn, 468 Poplar Ave.

POULTRY bought and sold. Dressed chickens a specialty. Ventura Cash Market, 812 J St.

WE TAKE OLD HARNESS in exchange for new; retrim your old buggy top, or sell you a new top; repair your old harness, make heavy or light harness to order. Saddles, whips, robes and everything in harness and saddlery line. H. L. Chamberlain, 1923 Tulare street

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FIRST CLASS ALFALFA pasture for horses, ½ mile from city limits, corner Millbrook and Belmont avenues. Phone state 2136. C. F. McPherson.

Stock pastured, $1.00 month. Address J. W. Metcalf, Route No. 5, Fresno, Cal.

FOR RENT—ROOMS.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, with or without board. 1541 J.

FOR RENT—3 unfurnished rooms, with buffet kitchen; private bath, etc. New and up to date. 1220 O St.

FOR RENT—6 room house; partly furnished; close in; enquire 1243 N.

FOR RENT—Houses.
7 rooms, 1024 Sumner, $22.50.
5 rooms, 443 Poplar, $17.00.
5 rooms, 2141 Calaveras, $25.00.
5 rooms, 437 Poplar, $18.00.
6 rooms, 329 Valeria, $12.00.
6 rooms, 618 J, $22.00.
KNIGHT & EWING CO., 1118 J St.

WARM housekeeping rooms, furnished with gas and wood stoves, $6.00 month. 625 K.

FOR RENT—Large, front, well-furnished room, with board if desired at 1351 I St.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room for gentleman; six blocks from Mariposa St.; cheap. 455 L St.

FOR RENT—Furnished housekeeping rooms; electric light and gas stove. 1415 N

FOR RENT—To adults, two furnished housekeeping rooms, modern conveniences. 2222 Mono St. Phone Main 1904.

FOR RENT—Large front bay window room, furnished for light housekeeping. 736 L St.

FOR RENT—To adults, four furnished housekeeping rooms; private bath. 363 Glenn Ave. Phone Main 2998.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 444 J. Main 1161.

THE GRENETH lodging house has been renovated and refurnished, now being ready for business at 1135 J St. Mrs. V. E. Yoell.

BEDROOM FOR RENT—For a lady. 1327 N St.

HOTEL PORTLAND—Opposite Novelty theater. Furnished rooms. Transients solicited. Phone Main 500.

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FOR RENT—Two nice airy rooms, near in and corner of car line. Rent reasonable; 709 N St.

FOR RENT—Two furnished housekeeping rooms, 732 J street, near P. O.

FOR RENT—HOUSES.

HOUSE TO LET—In best part of town, 5 rooms; bath room; light and gas. 1117 P street.

FOR RENT—5-room cottage; good location; furniture in good condition, for sale. Inquire 1914 Mariposa St.

BARGAIN—Complete furniture for 5-room cottage; cottage for rent. 1439 O St. Main 1429.

FOR RENT—4-room furnished cottage at 508 K. $12.

FOR RENT—Six-room modern house. Enquire 530 Forthcamp Ave.

FOR RENT—House and barn. Inquire at 1393 Angus. Phone Black 1040.

FOR RENT—The top floor of 1331 J St. Put in order to suit tenant. Inquire within.

FOR RENT—8-room 2-story house, 2226 San Joaquin St., between I and M.

FOR RENT—Private boarding and rooming house in best location in town; income $100 to $150 per month; must buy furniture to get lease; this will bear investigation. Sunset Realty Co., 1928 Mariposa St.

FOR RENT—$15.00, seven room modern house, stable, chicken yard, water included; 3028 Washington Ave. Near Orchard. Key next door, or Chittenden, 1152 J.

SIX-ROOM Furnished Cottage, $14; unfurnished cottage and barn $10. Main 2003.

FOR RENT—House of 4 large rooms with 6 foot chicken fence; $8.00 per month; 302 Mary st. Apply cor. Woodward and Mary st., Woodward's addition.

LODGING HOUSE—12 rooms, 728 Nelson avenue; rent $40. Shepherd-Teague Co., 1123 J street.

FOR RENT—Miscellaneous.

FOR RENT—Small grocery store and fixtures, reasonable. Apply 2911 Ventura.

FOR RENT—1500 acres grain land, 1½ miles north of Fresno; buildings on land. Apply Geo. C. Roeding, 1225 J.

FOR RENT—10 acres 2½ miles south Fresno. House and barn; $120 year. See J. S. Bradley.

FOR RENT—Chance Hall. Will lease entire second floor, or

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FOR CONSTABLE—Third Township.

U. M. VOICE

Republican Nominee.

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J. M. LESLIE

Regular Republican Nominee.
Election, Tuesday, November 6, 1906.

For Supervisor—First District.

CHRIS JORGENSEN.

Regular Democratic Nominee.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

J. R. HICKMAN.

Regular Republican Nominee.

For District Attorney

GEO. COSGRAVE.

Republican Nominee.

FOR COUNTY SURVEYOR.

H. L. WARD.

Democratic Nominee.

FOR SHERIFF.

L. P. TIMMINS.

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FOR COUNTY SURVEYOR.

SCOTT McKAY.

Republican Nominee.

For Justice of the Peace.
(Third Township)

GEORGE WASHINGTON SMITH.

Democratic Nominee.

FOR CONSTABLE.
(Third Township)

WM. H. PULESTON.

Regular Republican Nominee.

For Judge of the Superior Court.

GEO. E. CHURCH (Incumbent)

Democratic Nominee.

FOR PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

GEO. R. ANDREWS.

Republican Nominee.

FOR RECORDER.

R. H. BARSTOW.

Republican Nominee.

For Recorder—

CHARLES McCARDLE.

Democratic nominee

For Treasurer—

R. G. HARRELL

Democratic nominee

For Assemblyman 61st District.

T. J. ALEXANDER

Democratic Nominee.

For Judge of the Superior Court

ALVA E. SNOW.

Republican nominee.

For Judge of the Superior Court

H. Z. AUSTIN (Incumbent)

Republican nominee

For Constable of the Third Township.

WALTER S. McSWAIN.

Democratic Nominee.

FOR PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

N. P. JUSTY.

Democratic Nominee.

FOR CORONER.

WILLIAM A. BEAN.

Democratic Nominee.

FOR ASSESSOR.

G. P. CUMMINGS.

Democratic Nominee.

For County Superintendent of Schools.

E. W. LINDSAY.

Democratic Nominee.

For Judge of the Superior Court.

N. C. COLDWELL.

Democratic Nominee.

FOR COUNTY CLERK.

W. O. MILES.

Democratic Nominee.

FOR SHERIFF.

B. D. CHITTENDEN.

Democratic Nominee.

For Constable of the Third Township.

JOHN W. DUMAS.

Democratic Nominee.

FOR TAX COLLECTOR.

S. R. LA RUE.

Democratic Nominee.

A Most Worthy Article.

When an article has been on the market for years and gains friends every year it is safe to call this medicine a worthy one. Such is Ballard's Horehound Syrup. It positively cures coughs and all Pulmonary diseases. One of the best known merchants in Mobile, Ala., says:

"For five years my family has not been troubled with the winter coughs. We owe this to Ballard's Horehound Syrup. I know it has saved my children from many sick spells." Sold by Geo. H. Monroe.

BUSINESS CARDS.

CITY FURNITURE CO.—New and second-hand furniture, stoves, hardware, etc., bought, sold and exchanged. Goods repaired, packed and shipped. 1143 K street. Phone Main 1877.

MONO FEED AND LIVERY STABLES—First-class livery rigs at reasonable rates. Main 975. C. E. White.

SAMPLE BROS.—Feed and livery stable, 1820 Merced St., between H and I. Phone Main 484.

FUJI PHOTO STUDIO—Y. Sei proprietor. 935 F St. Phone China 633.

FRESNO MILLINERY opposite Hughes. Frames, shapes, plumes, fancy feathers and all supplies for making hats. Cheapest and best in city.

MISS SEIBERT—Flowers and Art Goods. 1150 I St. Phone Main 2075.

MRS. L. B. GALLOWAY, Shampooing, hairdressing, manicuring, facial massage, scalp treatment and chiropody. Phone Main 1108. Commercial Hotel. Work done at your home.

ELECTRIC HORSE CLIPPING. Witt & Winn, proprietors. Corner Fresno and K, Fresno.

BON BONNIERE candy factory; hot drinks and tamales; wholesale and retail. Next to Barton opera house. Phone Main 1132.

BUKER & COLSON CO. fill prescriptions at reasonable prices.

HENRY VIEZ, FINE TAILORING for gentlemen and ladies' garments. Formerly with Redfern, Paris. Over Dorsey-Robinson.

UP-TO-DATE MILLINERY at Miss Lida Briscoe's, 911 J st.

HATS—Made, trimmed or remodeled. Mrs. Anna Walton, phone 2618, residence 1855 Harvey Ave.

MAKING FACES and developing for amateurs. That's about all we know. Royal Photo Studio, Kern and M Sts.

UPHOLSTERING, DRAPING, carpet cleaning and laying. Phone Main 1028, 914 M St.

MRS. ROBB, Fresno's famous medium, is here. 1013 Tulare St., room 10.

H. S. ARKLIN, Artist. Studio 1151 J St., Rooms 4 and 5.

HELLO, Main 471. Is this French Dye Works? Like you to clean our clothes.

HI LOY LAUNDRY—First-class washing. 1248 Tulare St. Phone China 151.

MISS SARA P. CORDOVA, Spanish teacher. Moderate prices. 282 M St.

STAR RESTAURANT—The best 15c meal in town. 852 I street.

FRESNO TENT, AWNING and Carpet Cleaning Co., 1824 Fresno. Phone Main 663.

ROYAL CAFE—1836 Mariposa street. Excellent 20c meals. Phone Main 540.

FRESNO UPHOLSTERING CO., Phone Main 2344; 1221 I street.

CARPETS—Fresno Steam Carpet Cleaning and renovating Works takes up, cleans and relays carpets. Phone Main 365. Wm. M. Story.

T. E. HUFF—Feed and livery stables, cor. Fresno and H. Main 629.

MONEY TO LOAN.

WANTED—To lend $4000 on real estate security. Call on or address Miles Wallace, Fiske Bldg., Fresno.

MONEY TO LOAN—On real estate. Address P. O. box 1333, Fresno.

FARMERS' NATIONAL BANK OF FRESNO.

U. S. Depositary.

Paid up Capital $150,000
Surplus and Undivided Profits.. 170,000

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Alfred Kutner .....President
E. E. Manheim....Vice. Pres. and Mgr.
Walter Shoemaker .....Cashier
G. A. Middleton.....Assistant Cashier

Safe Deposit Boxes for Rent.

FRESNO NATIONAL BANK.

(Opposite the Postoffice.)

Paid up capital.....$200,000
Surplus and undivided profits.. 90,000

Thomas W. Patterson, president; W. F. McVey, vice president; Dan Brown, Jr., cashier; Am. S. Hayes, assistant cashier.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF FRESNO,
Fresno, California.

Capital Paid Up $100,000.00
Surplus and Profits 380,000.00

Safe Deposit Boxes for Rent.
United States Depositary.

TAKEN UP.

TAKEN UP—Two small pigs. Owner call at Mrs. Caughill's, Church Ave.

For County Superintendent of Schools.

G. N. FREMAN
(Incumbent.)

Republican Nominee.

Notice for Publication.
(Isolated Tract.)
PUBLIC LAND SALE.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of instructions from the Commissioner of the General Land Office, under authority vested in him by Sec. 2455, U. S. Revised Statutes, as amended by the Act of Congress approved February 26, 1895, we will proceed to offer at public sale on the 3rd day of December, next, at this office, the following tract of land, to-wit:

W. ½ of S. W. ¼ of Sec. 27, Tp. 11 S., R. 22 E., M. D. M.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are advised to file their claims in this office on or before the day above designated for the commencement of said sale, otherwise their rights will be forfeited.

JOHN F. ARMSTRONG,
Register.
WILL A. NEWCUM,
Receiver.

Dated, U. S. L. O., Sacramento, Cal., October 22, 1906.

PRINTERS' INK PAYS

CASTELLANE - INFELICITIES

Divorce Case Hearing Began and Was Adjourned.

Exposure of Count Boni's Brutalities and Infidelities Made By Counsel.

PARIS, Oct. 31.—The Castellane divorce case was heard this afternoon before M. Henri Date, president of the tribunal of first instance of the Seine. Neither the count nor the countess was present. Maitre Cruppi, for the countess, pleaded for a divorce on the documentary evidence submitted.

On extended review, counsel declared that the countess, at the beginning of the suit, was not acting under influence, but solely for the purpose of ending forever the peril of the moral desolation of her household. He explained the marriage contract by which the regime of separation of property was established from the very beginning and stated that domestic difficulties arose over the question of money, ill-treatment soon followed, the count even striking the plaintiff before the servants.

When he reached the charges of infidelity against the count, Maitre Cruppi did not mention names, or even initials, designating the co-respondents as "Madame B." and so on.

Maitre Cruppi asked that the countess be given the custody of the three children.

Counsel for the countess spoke for an hour and a half, and had not finished when the court took a recess. Counsel's presentation of the case of the plaintiff constitutes a complete and pitiful story of the wreck of her married life, due primarily to the count's inordinate extravagance. Even in spite of their domestic infelicity, the countess was too good to begin an action for divorce until she had obtained full proof. She was only 20 when she was married in 1895 and the happiness of the honeymoon was disturbed on their arrival at Paris by the count's demands for money.

The countess' income was then $700,000 and the count allowed her $80 for pin money.

By 1899 the countess' interests, Cruppi said, were so heavily compromised by the counts' extravagance that it necessitated a family meeting in New York and the appointment of a legal trustee. But the difficulties regarding money were unceasing and in order to obtain funds the count pawned, or sold at ridiculous prices, the most costly objects. When the countess protested, the count abused her in the presence of servants, and when she declined to attach her signature to documents he pinched her and some times struck her, the first time being four months after their marriage.

Cruppi protested against the "malicious reports in regard to the countess' intentions" and announced that she would leave France for America immediately after a divorce is granted.

Recounting the count's infidelity, the first instance cited by counsel was that with a married woman, described as "Madame A." in 1898. The correspondence was conducted through Moret, the count's secretary. The countess accidentally discovered in the Castellane chateau a packet of love letters and when she protested the count struck her. The countess later placed the letters in the custody of her lawyer.

Cruppi read passionate extracts from one of the letters. It reads: "I am kissing you on the neck. Do you feel it?" and so on.

Counsel also detailed liasions with "Madame B." and "Madame C.," whom the count met in apartments which he rented in different parts of Paris.

After recess Cruppi read from a note book kept by the cook of one of these apartments, giving brutally plain details of what counsel characterized as "an unpardonable offense against the countess." He also recounted the liason with "Madame C." whose maid mounted guard and signalled from a window when the coast was clear.

But, counsel continued, the count's love affairs were not confined to ladies of society. They included numerous other women, the reading of whose letters created merriment in court.

Cruppi said that the count's defense will probably be that, being young and rich he could not protect himself against the assaults of lovesick women. In the face of the overwhelming evidence submitted, Cruppi declared, his opponent could not expect the tribunal to ask for the summoning of witnesses. Counsel added:

"Does he imagine by dragging out the case to obtain forgiveness? No! No! Count Boni's plan to reconquer his wife's affection is too transparent."

The final rupture came the day after the first entertainment of King Charles of Portugal, December 1, 1905. The count at that time insisted that the countess go with him to a shooting party given by a noble of whom the countess had cause to complain and when the count enraged at the countess' refusal, she abruptly announced her intention to separate from him and began legal proceedings.

Counsel placed at $8,000,000 the total of the count's expenditures preceding the appointment of a trustee. At one time there was a seizure of their property in a suit for the recovery of a debt amounting to $220,600.

Cruppi had not finished his presentation of the case when the hearing was adjourned until next week.

North Dakota Prairie Fire.

DICKINSON, N. D., Oct. 31.—Reports received here today show that the prairie fire which swept the country south of here Sunday was the worst fire of the kind in seventeen years. The fire started north of Stillwater and burned a path seven miles wide. Buildings, hay, cattle, horses, hogs and sheep were destroyed. No fatalities were reported but several persons were badly burned.

For Jamestown Exposition.

BUCHAREST, Roumania, Oct. 31.—The government has accepted President Roosevelt's invitation to participate in the Jamestown exposition in 1907, and will appoint delegates to attend.

ZUNGURU, Nigeria, Oct. 31.—News was received here today that a French camel patrol, consisting of one officer and sixty men, was surprised and annihilated by a Senomani force, at the end of August, 200 miles northeast of Lake Chad.

ELECTION CONTEST IN NOVA SCOTIA

Unseating of Minister of Finance Fielding Causes a Hot Fight for the Seat.

HALIFAX, Oct. 31.—There is much interest throughout Canada in the bye-election which is being held in the Queen's-Shelburne district to fill the vacancy in the federal parliament caused by the unseating of W. S. Fielding, minister of finance in Sir Wilfrid Laurier's cabinet, for irregularities committed by his agents in the general election. The minister is a candidate for re-election. His opponent is Dr. R. C. Weldon, dean of the law school of Dalhousie university and a former member of the parliament.

In two recent bye-elections in Ontario and one in Quebec county, for many years a Laurier stronghold, the government candidates were defeated and it is partly on this account that the Liberals are making strenuous efforts to make a good showing in Queen's-Shelburne today.

Strike-Breakers at Knoxville.

KNOXVILLE, Oct. 31.—A party of strike-breakers today went to work in the shops of the Southern railway.

PRICES CURRENT

CHICAGO: The wheat market was strong all day. Early in the session trading was active, but later the demand slackened and the market became quieter. Shorts and commission houses were active bidders at the opening because of firm cables and continued small receipts in the Northwest. Late in the day there was some selling brought out by reports of seeding conditions in Russia. December opened ⅛@¼ higher at 73⅞ to 74, advanced to 74⅝@½ and closed at 74⅛.

Small local receipts and the strength of wheat caused a firm corn market early in the day, but prices soon eased off, although the market was steady, although the market was steady December at 43 3-8.

There was very little trading in the oats market and the tone of the market was steady. December closed at 33½.

Provisions were easier at the opening because of profit taking by small holders, who were induced to sell by a 5-cent decline in the price of live hogs. Offerings were readily taken by several leading shorts. This demand caused a firmer feeling late in the day. At the close January pork was up 15@17½, lard was 5½@10c higher, ribs were 7½c higher.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 31.—Close—wheat, December 6s 5 1-8d, March 6s 5 3-4d.

SAN FRANCISCO: Wheat, steady; December $1.27¼, May $1.31 ½, cash $1.25. Barley, steady; December $1.14½, May $1.15½, cash $1.12½. Corn quiet; large yellow $1.35@$1.40.

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—The market for evaporated apples is quiet. High choice 8@8½; choice 7@7 3-4; prime 6½@6¾.

Prunes are unchanged on spot, with California grades ranging from 3½ to 8¼, according to size. Oregon 40s to 20s, 9½@10c.

Apricots, nominal.

Peaches unchanged.

Raisins firm; loose Muscatels 6¾@7¾; seeded raisins 6¼@9c. London layers $1.65@$1.75.

LOCAL MARKETS

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.

Lemons—30c per dozen.
Apples—3@5c lb.
Bananas—25@35c doz.
Potatoes—2@2½c.
Pineapples—40@60c.
String Beans 7½c lb.
Green Peas—10c per lb.
Cucumbers—3 for 5c.
Green Peppers—10c lb.
*Tomatoes—3@5c per lb.
Radishes—2 bunches 5c.
Cabbage—2½c per lb.
Horse Radish—15c per lb.
Onions—2½c per lb.
Turnips—2½c per bunch.
Parsnips—2½c per bunch.
Cauliflower—10@15c head.
Lettuce—3 for 10c.
Carrots—2½c per bunch.
Lima Beans—10c lb.
Egg Plant—2 for 5c.
Cranberries—2 qts. 25c.
Sprouts—lb., 10c.

Poultry.

Chickens—Broilers, dressed, 35@40c. per lb.; alive, 30c per lb.
Chickens—Fryers, dressed, 35c per lb.; alive, 30c per lb.
Chickens—Dressed hen, 30c per lb.; alive hen, 20@25c per lb.
Turkeys—Dressed, 25c per lb.; alive, 23c per lb.

GRAIN.

Wheat—$1.25 and $1.65.
Barley—95c; $24 a ton.
Egyptian Corn—$1.35 per 100; ton, $25.00
Corn—$2.00.

KILLSTUFFS.

Fresno Flour—$1.30@$1.35
Waweah Flour—$1.40.
A 1 Flour—$1.45.
Crown Flour—$1.40.
Middlings—$1.45.
Bran—95c per sack; $25 per ton.
Wheat—$2.25 per sack; $27 and $28 per ton.
Corn Meal—35c per 10-lb. sack.
Graham Meal—35c per 10-lb. sack.
Whole Wheat Flour—35c per 10-lb. sack.
Cracked Wheat—35c per 10-lb. sack.
Oat Meal—40c per 10-lb. sack.
Rye Meal—35c per 10-lb. sack.

BUTTER AND EGGS.

Creamery—75c per roll.
Dairy—50c per roll.
Eggs—35c per doz.

FRESH MEATS.

Beef Steak—10@18c; roast 10@15c.
Mutton—10@15c per lb.
Lamb—12½@20c per pound.
Pork—12 @20c.
Veal—10@20c.
Lard—15c per pound.

DRESSED STOCK

Steer—5½c.
Veal—7@8c per pound.
Mutton—8 to 9c.

FUEL.

Pine Blocks—$3 load.
Oak Wood—$7.50 cord.
Coal—$14 ton.

How to Cure a Cold.

The question of how to cure a cold without unnecessary loss of time is one in which we are all more or less interested, for the quicker a cold is gotten rid of the less the danger of pneumonia and other serious diseases. Mr. B. W. L. Hall of Waverly, Va., has used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for years and says: "I firmly believe Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to be absolutely the best preparation on the market for colds. I have recommended it to my friends and they all agree with me." For sale by all druggis

Notice of Public Work

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, the 4th day of September, 1906, the Board of Trustees of the City of Fresno, State of California, did at its meeting on said day adopt a resolution of intention—No. 499—to order the following public work to be done in said city, to-wit:

RESOLUTION OF INTENTION NO. 499.

RESOLVED, by the Board of Trustees of the City of Fresno, in the County of Fresno, State of California:

First—That it is the intention of said Board of Trustees to order the following public work to be done in the said City of Fresno, to-wit:

A. The opening and extending of Fisher street as the same now runs through and exists in Fisher's Second Addition in a straight line through and over lot 5 of block 3 of the Villa Homestead Tract.

That the land which is by said Board of Trustees deemed necessary to be taken therefor, and which said Board intends to take therefor is situated in the City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the southeast corner of Block "F" of Fisher's Second Addition; thence southerly along the produced westerly line of Fisher Street as the same now runs through and exists in said Fisher's Second Addition, southerly 273.2 feet more or less to the northerly line of Alice street produced; thence at right angles easterly 60 feet; thence at right angles therefrom northerly 271.2 feet more or less to the southwesterly corner of block "F" of Fisher's Second Addition, and thence at right angles westerly 50 feet to the point of beginning. Being that part of lot 5 in block 3 of the Villa Homestead Tract, included within the easterly and westerly boundary lines of said Fisher street as the same now exists in Fisher's Second Addition produced and extended in a straight line through and over said lot 5 in block 3 of the Villa Homestead Tract, being a rectangular strip of land 60 feet more or less by 271.2 feet more or less.

B. The opening and extending of Poplar avenue as the same now runs through and exists in the Terry Tract in a straight line through and over block six (6) of Central Addition to Fresno City.

That the land which is by said Board of Trustees deemed necessary to be taken therefor, and which said Board intends to take therefor, is situated in the City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at the northwest corner of block 211, thence westerly on the produced southerly line of Monterey street, 100 feet more or less to the easterly line of block "AA"; thence at right angles northerly 100 feet; thence at right angles easterly 100 feet more or less; thence at right angles southerly 100 feet to the point of beginning, being a strip of land 100 feet more or less by 100 feet.

E. The opening and extending of Silvia street fifty feet in width from the westerly line of Blackstone avenue westerly to the easterly line of Calaveras avenue.

That the land which is by said Board of Trustees deemed necessary to be taken, and which said Board intends to take therefor, is situated in the City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the westerly line of Blackstone avenue at the northerly boundary line of fractional block 131, thence westerly along the said northerly boundary line of fractional block 131 and 139, a distance of 323.8 feet to the easterly line of Calaveras avenue; thence northerly along the easterly line of Calaveras avenue 50 feet; thence easterly 323.9 feet to a point on the westerly line of Blackstone avenue, 50 feet north of the northerly boundary line of fractional block 131; thence southerly along the westerly line of Blackstone avenue, 50 feet to the point of commencement.

F. The opening and widening of Monroe avenue as the same now runs through and exists in the City of Fresno, in a straight line through and over block one Hill's Addition to Fresno City, and across lot 5 of block 6 of the Villa Homestead Tract.

That the land which is by said Board of Trustees deemed necessary to be taken therefor, and which said Board intends to take therefor, is situated in the City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at the southwest corner of lot 24 of block 1 of Hill's Addition, thence southerly along the westerly line of Hill's Addition 30 feet; thence at right angles therefrom easterly across Hill's Addition 660 feet more or less to a point on the westerly line of Fresno street, 25.1 feet south of the northeast corner of lot 44 of block 1 of Hill's Addition; thence at right angles therefrom northerly along the westerly line of Fresno street 60 feet, thence at right angles westerly 660 feet more or less to the easterly line of Theata street; thence at right angles southerly, 30 feet to the point of beginning, being a strip of land 660 feet more or less by 60 feet more or less, in Hill's Addition to the City of Fresno; also

Beginning at the southwest corner of lot 5, block 6, of the Villa Homestead Tract, thence easterly 600 feet more or less to the southeast corner of said lot 5; thence at right angles northerly 30 feet; thence at right angles westerly 600 feet more or less to the westerly boundary line of said lot 5; thence at right angles southerly along the westerly boundary line of said lot 5, 30 feet to the point of beginning.

Also all of lots 1, 2, 37 and 38 of block 1, and all of lots 1, 2, 37 and 38 in block 2, in Irvington's Second Addition.

Also all of lots 30, 31, 32 and 33 of Irvington's Addition; also all of lots 13 and 14 block 1, in Bunn's Addition.

D. The opening of Monterey street as the same now exists in the City of Fresno through and across the Southern Pacific Railroad Reservation in Fresno City.

That the land which is by said Board of Trustees deemed necessary to be taken therefor and which said Board intends to take therefor is situated in the City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at the northwest corner of block 211, thence westerly on the produced southerly line of Monterey street, 100 feet more or less to the easterly line of block "AA"; thence at right angles northerly 100 feet; thence at right angles easterly 100 feet more or less; thence at right angles southerly 100 feet to the point of beginning, being a strip of land 100 feet more or less by 100 feet.

E. The opening and extending of Silvia street fifty feet in width from the westerly line of Blackstone avenue westerly to the easterly line of Calaveras avenue.

That the land which is by said Board of Trustees deemed necessary to be taken, and which said Board intends to take therefor, is situated in the City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the westerly line of Blackstone avenue at the northerly boundary line of fractional block 131, thence westerly along the said northerly boundary line of fractional block 131 and 139, a distance of 323.8 feet to the easterly line of Calaveras avenue; thence northerly along the easterly line of Calaveras avenue 50 feet; thence easterly 323.9 feet to a point on the westerly line of Blackstone avenue, 50 feet north of the northerly boundary line of fractional block 131; thence southerly along the westerly line of Blackstone avenue, 50 feet to the point of commencement.

F. The opening and widening of Monroe avenue as the same now runs through and exists in the City of Fresno, in a straight line through and over block one Hill's Addition to Fresno City, and across lot 5 of block 6 of the Villa Homestead Tract.

That the land which is by said Board of Trustees deemed necessary to be taken therefor, and which said Board intends to take therefor, is situated in the City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at the southwest corner of lot 24 of block 1 of Hill's Addition, thence southerly along the westerly line of Hill's Addition 30 feet; thence at right angles therefrom easterly across Hill's Addition 660 feet more or less to a point on the westerly line of Fresno street, 25.1 feet south of the northeast corner of lot 44 of block 1 of Hill's Addition; thence at right angles therefrom northerly along the westerly line of Fresno street 60 feet, thence at right angles westerly 660 feet more or less to the easterly line of Theata street; thence at right angles southerly, 30 feet to the point of beginning, being a strip of land 660 feet more or less by 60 feet more or less, in Hill's Addition to the City of Fresno; also

Beginning at the southwest corner of lot 5, block 6, of the Villa Homestead Tract, thence easterly 600 feet more or less to the southeast corner of said lot 5; thence at right angles northerly 30 feet; thence at right angles westerly 600 feet more or less to the westerly boundary line of said lot 5, thence at right angles southerly along the westerly boundary line of said lot 5, 30 feet to the point of beginning, being a strip of land 600 feet more or less by 30 feet more or less.

G. The opening and widening of Marilposa street, through and across lot 5, block 6 of the Villa Homestead Tract; through and over blocks 1 and 2 of the Hartley Addition to Fresno City, through and over lot 5 of block 6 of the Villa Homestead Tract, and through and over lots 7 and 8 of block 4 of the Villa Homestead Tract.

That the land which is by said Board of Trustees deemed necessary to be taken therefor and which said Board intends to take therefor is situated in the City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at the southwest corner of lot 5 block 3 of said Villa Homestead Tract, thence easterly along the southerly boundary line of said lot 5, 50 feet; thence at right angles therefrom northerly 221.2 feet more or less to the northerly boundary line of said lot and block; thence at the right angles westerly 50 feet to the northwesterly corner of said lot 8; thence at right angles southerly along the westerly boundary line of said lot 5 221.2 feet more or less to the point of beginning, being a rectangular strip of land 50 feet more or less by 221.2 feet more or less; also

Lots 26 and 12 of block 1, and lots 21 and 22 of block 2 of the Hartley Addition; also

Commencing at the southeast corner of lot 1 block 6 of the Villa Homestead Tract, thence westerly along the southerly boundary line of said lot 5, 20 feet; thence at right angles northerly 230 feet more or less to the northerly boundary line of said lot 3; thence at right angles easterly 20 feet to the northeast corner of said lot 3; thence at right angles southerly along the easterly boundary line of said lot 3, 230 feet more or less to the point of beginning, being a rectangular strip of land 20 feet more or less by 230 feet more or less; also

Commencing at the southwest corner of lot 7 of block 6 of the Villa Homestead Tract, thence easterly along the southerly boundary line of said lot 7, 20 feet; thence at right angles northerly 209 feet more or less to the northerly line of said lot 7, 20 feet east of the northwest corner of said lot 7; thence at right angles westerly 20 feet to a point 20 feet west of the northeast corner of lot 8; thence southerly at right angles 204 feet more or less to the southerly line of said lot 8; thence westerly 20 feet to the point of beginning, being a strip of land 20 feet wide by 209 feet long more or less.

H. The opening and extending of McKenzie avenue from the westerly line of Glenn avenue westerly, to the easterly line of Frosteh avenue.

That the land which is by said Board of Trustees deemed necessary to be taken therefor and which said Board intends to take therefor, is situated in the City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at the easterly boundary line of lot 19, 26.2 feet north of the southeast corner of said lot 19, of Griffith's Villa Addition, on the produced southerly line of McKenzie avenue, thence westerly along the produced southerly line of McKenzie avenue 216 feet to the alley line, 26.2 feet north of the southwest corner of said lot 19, thence northerly along said alley line 60 feet, thence easterly along the produced northerly line of McKenzie avenue 216 feet to the westerly line of Glenn avenue, thence southerly along the westerly line of Glenn avenue 60 feet to the point of beginning.

Also all of lots 51 and 52, in block 1, of Yosemite Addition.

Also the land in block 4 of Yosemite Addition described as follows: Commencing at a point on the easterly boundary line of lot 11, block 4 of Yosemite Addition, 14.5 feet south of the northeast corner of said lot 11, thence westerly on the produced southerly line of McKenzie avenue 124 feet to the alley line; thence north 60 feet along said alley line; thence easterly 124 feet to the easterly line of lot 9; thence southerly along the westerly line of Bon Ruhio avenue 60 feet to the point of beginning.

Also beginning on the easterly line of Poplar avenue 14.1 feet south of the northwest corner of lot 14 in block 4 of Yosemite addition, thence east on the produced line of McKenzie avenue 125.5 feet to the alley line, thence north 60 feet along said alley line, thence westerly on the produced northerly line of McKenzie avenue 125.5 feet to the westerly line of lot 16, 20.3 feet north of the southwest corner of said lot 16; thence southerly along the easterly line of Poplar avenue 60 feet to the point of beginning; also the land in the Terry Tract described as follows:

Commencing at a point on the easterly line of lot 1 in block 7 of the Terry Tract, 15 feet south of the northeast corner of said lot 1, thence westerly along the produced southerly line of McKenzie avenue 246.4 feet to the easterly line of Park avenue, 16 feet south of the northwest corner of said lot 1; thence north along the east line of Park avenue 60 feet, thence easterly 246.4 feet to the westerly line of Poplar avenue, 45 feet north of the southeast corner of lot 2; thence southerly along the westerly line of Poplar avenue 60 feet to the point of beginning;

Also the land in block "D" of Elm Grove Addition described as follows: Beginning on the westerly line of Park avenue 21.2 feet south of the northeast corner of lot 3 in block "D" of Elm Grove Addition, thence westerly on the produced southerly line of McKenzie avenue 172 feet to the easterly line of Froelich avenue, 20.85 feet south of the northwest corner of said lot 3; thence northerly along the easterly line of Froelich avenue 20 feet to a point 15.85 feet north of the southwest corner of lot 1 in block "D" of Elm Grove Addition, thence easterly 172 feet to a point 15.3 feet north of the southeast corner of said lot 1, thence southerly along the westerly line of Park avenue 60 feet to the point of beginning.

I. The opening and extending of Howard street, as it now exists in the City of Fresno, from the southerly line of block "B" of Hill's Addition, through and across said block "B" to the produced southerly line of Davis street.

That the land which is by said Board of Trustees deemed necessary to be taken therefor, and which said Board intends to take therefor, is situated in the City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, and is particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at the southeast corner of lot 12 in block "B" of Hill's Addition, thence easterly on the southerly line of block "B" 6 feet 2 inches to the easterly line of Howard street, thence northerly along the produced line of Howard street 135.2 feet to a point on the southerly line of Davis street, 6 feet 2 inches east of the northeast corner of lot 12; thence westerly along the southerly line of Davis street 60 feet to a point 3 feet 10 inches west of the northwest corner of lot 13; thence southerly along the produced westerly line of Howard street 135.2 feet to a point on the southerly line of block "B" 3 feet 10 inches west of the southwest corner of lot 13; thence easterly along the southerly line of block "B" 53 feet 10 inches to the southeast corner of lot 12, and the point of commencement.

J. The opening and extending of Wagner avenue as the same now runs through and exists in Griffith's Second Addition in a straight line through and over block one (1) of Central Addition to Fresno City.

That the land which is by said Board of Trustees deemed necessary to be taken therefor, and which said Board of Trustees intends to take therefor, is situated in the City of Fresno, State of California, and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the north boundary line of said block one (1) of said Central Addition; 73 feet westerly from the point of intersection of said northerly boundary line with the easterly line of said block; running thence westerly along said northerly boundary line 61 feet, thence at right angles therefrom 133 feet more or less to the southerly boundary line of said block; thence easterly along and upon the southerly boundary line of said block 61 feet, thence at right angles therefrom 133 feet more or less to the point of beginning, being lot 4 and 5 and those portions of lots 3 lots 4 and 5 included within the easterly and westerly boundary lines of said Wagner avenue as the same now exists in Griffith's Second Addition, produced and extended in a straight line through and over said block one (1) of Central Addition, being a rectangular strip of land 61 feet more or less by 133 feet more or less.

K. The opening and extending of Yosemite avenue as the same now runs through and exists in Griffith's Addition, in a straight line through and over block (3) of Central Addition to Fresno City.

That the land which is by said Board of Trustees deemed necessary to be taken therefor, and which said Board intends to take therefor, is situated in the City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the north line of block three (3) of said Central Addition, 334.65 feet easterly from the point of intersection of said northerly boundary line with the westerly boundary line of block two (2) running thence easterly along said northerly boundary line 60 feet, thence at right angles therefrom southerly 123 feet more or less to the southerly boundary line of said block thence westerly along the southerly line of said block 60 feet; thence at right angles therefrom 123 feet more or less to the point of beginning, being lots 15, and those portions of lots 14 and 16 included within the easterly and westerly boundary lines of said Yosemite avenue as the same now exists in Griffith's Addition produced and extended in a straight line through and over said block (3) of said Central Addition, being a rectangular strip of land 60 feet more or less by 123 feet more or less.

L. The opening and extending of Coast avenue as the same now runs through and exists in Griffith's Addition and Griffith's Second Addition in a straight line through and over block two (2) of Central Addition to Fresno City.

That the land which is by said Board of Trustees deemed necessary to be taken therefor, and which said Board intends to take therefor, is situated in the City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the north boundary line of block two (2) of said Central Addition, 211 feet easterly from the point of intersection of said northerly boundary line with the westerly boundary line of said block; running thence easterly along said northerly boundary line 60 feet; thence at right angles southerly 133 feet, more or less to the southerly boundary line of said block; thence westerly along the southerly boundary line of said block 60 feet; thence at right angles therefrom 133 feet to the point of beginning, being lot 9 and those portions of lots 8 and 10 included within the easterly and westerly boundary lines of said Coast avenue, as the same now exists between Griffith's Addition and Griffith's Second Addition, prolonged and extended in a straight line through and over said block two (3) of said Central Addition; being a rectangular piece of land 60 feet more or less by 133 feet more or less.

SECOND. That the district of lands hereby established and by this resolution declared to be affected and benefited by said work or improvement is the whole of the said City of Fresno; and the whole taxable property of the said City of Fresno shall be assessed to pay the damages, costs, and expenses thereof, excepting from said property, however, the lands described in this resolution as the land to be taken for said work of improvement, and also all public parks, streets, alleys and places in the said City of Fresno.

THIRD. By this resolution this Board does hereby determine and deem it proper, that the boundary of the district to be affected and benefited by such public work or improvement, is the whole city of Fresno, and for that reason all of the taxable property in the City of Fresno should be assessed to pay the damages, costs and expenses of such public work or improvement.

For further particulars of said work, reference is hereby made to said resolution on file in the office of the City Clerk.

W. H. SPENCER,
Superintendent of Streets of the City of Fresno.

Delinquent Notice.

Office Crescent Canal Company.

Location and principal place of business, Wheatville, Fresno County, California.

Notice:—There is delinquent upon the following described stock on account of Assessment No. 38, levied on the 11th day of September, 1906, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders, as follows:

Shareholders.	No. Cert.	No. Shares.	Amt.
J. A. Phipps.....	47	1	$50.00
H. G. Thurston....	110	7-16	621.87

And in accordance with law and an order of the Board of Directors made on the 11th day of September, 1906, so many shares of each parcel of said stock as is necessary will be sold at public auction at the office of the company, at Wheatville, Fresno County, California, on the 12th day of November, 1906, at 1 o'clock p. m., to pay the delinquent assessment, together with cost of advertising and expense of sale.

C. C. GOODELL, Secretary.

Notice to Creditors.

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California. In the matter of the estate of Julia Kreyenhagen, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned executors of the last will and testament of Julia Kreyenhagen, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within ten months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executors at the office of M. K. Harris, in Room 9, Fiske Building, in the City of Fresno, State of California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business in the said estate in the County of Fresno, State of California.

EMIL KREYENHAGEN,
CHARLES KREYENHAGEN,
Executors of the last will and testament of Julia Kreyenhagen, deceased.
Dated October 8, 1906.

Notice to Creditors.

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California.
In the Matter of the Estate of Edward Schulz, Deceased. No. 2127, Dept. I.

Notice is

ELECTION PROCLAMATION

STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

In accordance with law thereunto directing me, I hereby proclaim and give notice that a General Election will be held throughout the State of California on Tuesday, the sixth day of November, A. D. 1906, at which election the following officers will be elected, and the following proposed Constitutional Amendments will be voted on, namely:

Eight Members of the House of Representatives of the United States of America, being one Representative from each Congressional District in this State, as prescribed by law.

Also, the following State officers, to-wit:

Governor,
Lieutenant-Governor,
Two Associate Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of California,
One Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of California, for the remainder of the unexpired term of Walter Van Dyke, deceased, vice M. C. Sloss, appointed,
Three Presiding Justices of the District Courts of Appeal, being one for each Appellate District in this State, to-wit: the First, Second, and Third Appellate Districts,
Six Justices of the District Courts of Appeal, being two for each Appellate District in this State, to-wit: the First, Second, and Third Appellate Districts,
Secretary of State,
Controller,
Treasurer,
Attorney-General,
Surveyor-General,
Clerk of the Supreme Court,
Superintendent of Public Instruction,
Superintendent of State Printing,

Also, Three Railroad Commissioners, being one from each railroad district in this State, to-wit: the First, Second, and Third Railroad Districts.

Also, Four Members of the State Board of Equalization, being one from each district in this State, to-wit: the First, Second, Third and Fourth Equalization Districts.

Also, Twenty Members of the Senate of the State of California, being one Senator from each of the following Senatorial Districts in this State, as prescribed by law, to-wit: the Second, Fourth, Sixth, Eighth, Tenth, Twelfth, Fourteenth, Sixteenth, Eighteenth, Twentieth, Twenty-second, Twenty-fourth, Twenty-sixth, Twenty-eighth, Thirtieth, Thirty-second, Thirty-fourth, Thirty-sixth, Thirty-eighth, and Fortieth Senatorial Districts.

Also, Eighty Members of the Assembly of the State of California, being one Member of the Assembly from each of the Eighty Assembly Districts in the State as provided by law.

Also, Two Judges of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for each of the Counties of Alameda and Fresno, respectively, for the term prescribed by law.

Also, Four Judges of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the City and County of San Francisco, for the term prescribed by law.

Also, Five Judges of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles, for the term prescribed by law.

Also, One Judge of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alpine, for the unexpired term of N. D. Arnot, resigned, term ending January, 1909, vice Clarke Howard, appointed.

Also, One Judge of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, for the unexpired term of S. P. Hall, resigned, term ending January, 1909, vice Wm. H. Waste, appointed.

Also, One Judge of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, for the unexpired term of W. E. Greene, deceased, term ending January, 1909, vice T. W. Harris, appointed.

Also, One Judge of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles, for the unexpired term of M. T. Allen, resigned, term ending January, 1909, vice Charles Monroe, appointed.

Also, One Judge of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Plumas, for the unexpired term of C. F. McLaughlin, resigned, term ending January, 1909, vice J. D. Goodwin, appointed.

Also, One Judge of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Solano, for the unexpired term of A. J. Buckles, resigned, term ending January, 1909, vice Lewis G. Harrier, appointed.

Also, at said election, on said Tuesday, the sixth day of November, A. D. 1906, the following Amendments to the Constitution of the State of California will be voted on by the qualified electors of said State, all of which said Constitutional Amendments were duly proposed and passed by the Senate and Assembly of the State of California, in the manner required by Section One of Article Eighteen of the Constitution of the State of California, at the Thirty-sixth Session of the Legislature, beginning on the second day of January, A. D. 1905, and the Legislature of the State of California by said Thirty-sixth Session duly submitted the said following Constitutional Amendments to the people to be voted on separately by said qualified electors of the State of California at said election, said Constitutional Amendments being prepared and designated by numbers and otherwise, as follows:

ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NO. 5.

Chapter XL. Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 5, a resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the Constitution by adding thereto a new section to article nine to be known as section thirteen, relating to the exemption from taxation of the property now or hereafter belonging to the Cogswell Polytechnical College.

Resolved by the assembly, the senate concurring, That the legislature of the State of California, at its regular session, commencing on the second day of January, nineteen hundred and five, two thirds of all the members elected to each of the two houses of said legislature voting in favor thereof, hereby proposes that article nine of the Constitution of the State of California be amended by adding thereto a new section, to be known as section thirteen, to read as follows:

Section 13. All property now or hereafter belonging to the Cogswell Polytechnical College, an institution for the advancement of learning, incorporated under the laws of the State of California, and having its buildings located in the city and county of San Francisco, shall be exempt from taxation. The trustees of said institution must annually report their proceedings and financial accounts to the governor. The legislature may modify, suspend, and revive at will the exemption from taxation herein given.

ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NO. 11.

Chapter XXXVII. Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 11, to propose to the people of the State of California, amending section 17 of Article VI of the Constitution, relating to the judiciary.

Whereas, The salaries now paid to the justices of the supreme court and to the district courts of appeal are inadequate compensation for the services they are required to perform; and

Whereas, It is impracticable to change the salaries of the justices or judges of the same court, where their terms expire at different times, under the present restriction that such salary shall not be increased or diminished during the term for which they have been elected; Now therefore, The legislature of the State of California, at its regular session commencing on the 2nd day of January, 1905, two thirds of all the members elected to each of the houses thereof voting in favor thereof, hereby proposes that Section 17 of Article VI of the Constitution of said state be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 17. The justices of the supreme court and of the district courts of appeal, and the judges of the superior courts, shall severally, at stated times during their continuance in office, receive for their service such compensation as is or shall be provided by law. The salaries of the judges of the superior court, in all counties having but one judge, and in all counties in which the terms of the judges of the superior court expire at the same time, shall not hereafter be increased or diminished after their election, nor during the term for which they shall have been elected. Upon the adoption of this amendment the salaries then established by law shall be paid uniformly to the justices and judges then in office. The salaries of the justices of the supreme court and of the district courts of appeal shall be paid by the state. One half of the salary of each superior court judge shall be paid by the state; and the other half thereof shall be paid by the county for which he is elected. On and after the first day of January, A. D. one thousand nine hundred and seven the justices of the supreme court shall each receive an annual salary of eight thousand dollars, and the justices of the several district courts of appeal shall each receive an annual salary of seven thousand dollars; the said salaries to be payable monthly.

ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NO. 12.

Chapter XLI. Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 12, a resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the Constitution of the State of California, amending section nineteen of article five of said Constitution, relating to the compensation of state officers.

The legislature of the State of California, at its regular session commencing on the second day of January, A. D. nineteen hundred and five, two thirds of all the members elected to each of the houses of said legislature voting in favor thereof, hereby propose that section nineteen of article five of the Constitution of the State of California, be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 19. The governor, lieutenant-governor, secretary of state, controller, treasurer, attorney-general, and surveyor-general shall, at stated times during their continuance in office, receive for their services a compensation which shall not be increased or diminished during the term for which they shall have been elected, which compensation is hereby fixed for the following officers, as follows: Governor, ten thousand dollars per annum; lieutenant-governor, the same per diem as may be provided by law for the speaker of the assembly, to be allowed only during the session of the legislature; the secretary of state, controller, treasurer, and surveyor-general, five thousand dollars each per annum; the attorney-general, six thousand dollars per annum, such compensation to be in full for all services by them respectively rendered in any official capacity or employment whatsoever during their respective terms of office; provided, however, that the legislature may, by law, diminish the compensation of any or all of such officers, but in no case shall have the power to increase the same above the sums hereby fixed by this constitution. No salary shall be authorized by law for clerical service, in any office provided for in this article, exceeding eighteen hundred dollars per annum for each clerk employed. The legislature may, in its discretion, abolish the office of surveyor-general; and none of the officers hereinbefore named shall receive for their own use any fees or perquisites for the performance of any official duty.

ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NO. 13.

Chapter XXXIII. Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 13, a resolution proposing to the people of the State of California an amendment to article eleven of the Constitution of the State of California, by adding a new section thereto to be numbered section thirteen and one half, of article eleven, relating to the making of public bonds payable at any place within the United States.

The legislature of the State of California, at its regular session commencing on the second day of January, nineteen hundred and five, two thirds of all the members elected to each of the two houses of said legislature voting in favor thereof, hereby proposes that article eleven of the Constitution of the State of California, be amended by adding a new section thereto to be numbered section thirteen and one half of article eleven, to read as follows:

Section 13½. Nothing in this Constitution contained shall be construed as prohibiting the state or any county, city and county, city, town, municipality, or other public corporation, issuing bonds under the laws of the state, to make said bonds payable at any place within the United States designated in said bonds.

ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NO. 14.

Chapter XXVIII. Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 14, a resolution proposing to the people of the State of California an amendment to section eight, article eleven, of the Constitution of the State of California, relating to charters.

The legislature of the State of California at its regular session, commencing on the second day of January, nineteen hundred and five, two thirds of all the members elected to each of the two houses of said legislature voting in favor thereof, hereby proposes to the qualified electors of the State of California the following amendment to section eight of article eleven of the Constitution:

Section eight of article eleven of the Constitution is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 8. Any city containing a population of more than three thousand five hundred inhabitants may frame a charter for its own government, consistent with and subject to the Constitution, for, having framed such a charter, may frame a new one; by electing a board of fifteen freeholders, who shall have been qualified electors, five years qualified electors thereof, to be elected by the qualified voters of said city at any general or special election, whose duty it shall be, within ninety days after such election, to prepare and propose a charter for such city, which shall be signed in duplicate by the members of such board, or a majority of them, and returned, one copy to the mayor thereof, or other chief executive officer of such city, and the other to the recorder of the county. Such proposed charter shall then be published two daily newspapers in such city, for at least twenty days, and the first publication shall be made within twenty days after the completion of the charter; provided, that in cities containing a population of ten thousand inhabitants, or more than ten thousand inhabitants, such proposed charter shall be published in one such daily newspaper; and within thirty days after such publication it shall be submitted to the qualified electors of said city at a general or special election, and if a majority of such qualified electors voting thereon shall ratify the same, it shall thereafter be submitted to the legislature for its approval or rejection as a whole, without power of alteration or amendment. Such approval may be made by concurrent resolution, and if approved by a majority vote of the members elected to each house it shall become the charter of such city, or if such city be consolidated with the county, then of such city and county, and shall become the organic law thereof, and supersede any existing charter, whether framed under the provisions of this section of the Constitution or not, and all amendments thereof, and all laws inconsistent with such charter. A copy of such charter, certified by the mayor, or other executive officer, and authenticated by the seal of such city, setting forth the submission of such charter to the electors, and its ratification by them, shall after the approval of such charter by the legislature, be made in duplicate, and deposited, one in the office of the secretary of state, and the other, after being recorded in said recorder's office shall be deposited in the archives of the city, and thereafter all courts shall take judicial notice of said charter. The charter, so ratified, may be amended at intervals of not less than two years by proposals therefor, submitted by the legislative authority of the city to the qualified electors thereof at a general or special election, held at least forty days after the publication of such proposals for twenty days in a daily newspaper of general circulation in such city, and ratified by a majority of the electors voting thereon, and approved by the legislature as herein provided for the approval of the charter. Whenever fifteen per cent of the qualified voters of the city shall petition the legislative authority thereof to submit any proposed amendment or amendments to said charter to the qualified voters thereof for approval, the legislative authority thereof must submit the same, in submitting any such charter, or amendments thereto, any alternative article or proposition may be presented for the choice of the voters, and may be voted on separately without prejudice to others.

SENATE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NO. 2.

Chapter XXVI. Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 2, to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to Article XX section 16 of the Constitution, to provide for legislation concerning the term of officers or commissioners and certain employes whose terms of office are not provided for in the Constitution.

The legislature of the State of California, at its thirty-sixth session, commencing on the second day of January, nineteen hundred and five, two thirds of all the members elected to each house of said legislature voting in favor thereof, hereby proposes that section sixteen of article twenty of the Constitution be amended to read as follows.

Section 16. When the term of any officer or commissioner is not provided for in this Constitution, the term of such office or commissioner may be declared by law; and, if not so declared, such officer or commissioner shall hold his position at such officer or commissioner during the pleasure of the authority making the appointment, but in no case shall such term exceed four years; provided, however, that in the case of any officer or employe of any municipality governed under a legally adopted charter, the provisions of such charter with reference to the tenure of office or the dismissal from office of any such officer or employe shall control.

SENATE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NO. 11.

Chapter XXXVII. Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 11, amending sections fifteen (15) and nineteen (19) article five (5), of the Constitution, relative to the duties and salary of the lieutenant-governor.

The legislature of the State of California, at its thirty-sixth session, commencing January second, nineteen hundred and five, two thirds of all the members elected to each of the houses of said legislature voting in favor thereof, hereby propose that sections fifteen (15) and nineteen (19), article five (5), of the Constitution of the State of California, be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 15. A lieutenant-governor shall be elected at the same time and places, and in the same manner, as the governor, and his term of office and his qualifications of eligibility shall also be the same. In case of the temporary disqualification of the governor or his temporary absence from the state he shall act as governor. In case of the death or permanent disqualification of the governor he shall become governor of the state. He shall be president of the senate, but shall have only a casting vote therein. He shall be ex-officio a member of all state boards and when the senate is not in session, shall visit the state institutions receiving aid from the state, and make careful examinations of the manner in which the appropriations for the support of such institutions, and for permanent improvements, have been expended, and report the results of his examinations to the governor, to the legislature, and to any other officer, or board of officers, that the legislature may direct. The legislature may by law prescribe the manner in which such examinations shall be made. If the office of lieutenant-governor shall become vacant, or the Lieutenant-governor be disqualified or disabled from acting, the president pro tempore of the senate shall become acting lieutenant-governor and if while so acting the office of governor shall become vacant, such officer shall become acting governor of the state and shall so act until the vacancy be filled, or the disability shall cease. The lieutenant-governor shall be disqualified from holding any other office, except as specially provided in this Constitution, during the term for which he shall have been elected.

Section 19. The governor, lieutenant-governor, secretary of state, controller, treasurer, attorney-general, surveyor-general shall, at stated times during their continuance in office, receive for their services a compensation which shall not be increased or diminished during the term for which they shall have been elected, which compensation is hereby fixed for the following officers for the two terms next ensuing the adoption of this Constitution, as follows: Governor, six thousand dollars per annum; lieutenant-governor, four thousand dollars per annum, and traveling expenses, when they may be employed in visiting and examining state institutions receiving state aid; the secretary of state, controller, treasurer, attorney-general and surveyor-general, three thousand dollars each per annum, such compensation to be in full for all services by them respectively rendered in any official capacity or employment whatsoever during their respective terms of office; provided, however, that the legislature, after the expiration of the terms hereinbefore mentioned, may by law diminish the compensation of any or all such officers, but in no case shall have the power to increase the same above the sums hereby fixed by this Constitution. No salary shall be authorized by law for clerical services in any office provided for in this article, exceeding sixteen hundred dollars per annum for each clerk employed. The legislature may, in its discretion, abolish the office of surveyor-general; and none of the officers hereinbefore named shall receive for their own use any fees or perquisites for the performance of any official duty.

SENATE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NO. 20.

Chapter XXXIX. Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 20.

The legislature of the State of California, at its thirty-sixth session, two thirds of all the members elected to the senate and assembly voting therefor, proposes to the qualified electors of the State of California the following amendment to section seven of article twelve of the Constitution:

Section seven of article twelve of the Constitution is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 7. The franchise or charter of any corporation now or hereafter existing under the laws of this state, may be extended, at any time prior to the expiration of its corporate existence, for a period not exceeding fifty years from the date of such extension, by the vote or written consent of stockholders representing two thirds of its capital stock or by two thirds of the members thereof. A certificate of such vote or assent shall be signed and sworn to by the president and secretary and by a majority of the directors of the corporation and filed in the office of the county clerk where the original articles of incorporation were filed, and a copy certified by such clerk shall be filed in the office of the secretary of state, who shall issue a certificate in duplicate, which must be filed with the county clerk of the county where the original certificate is on file; and thereupon the term of the corporation shall be extended for the period specified in such certificate.

SENATE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NO. 38.

Chapter XXX. Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 38, to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to Article XI of the Constitution, to be numbered Section 16½, providing for the deposit of state, county and municipal funds in national and state banks.

The legislature of the State of California, at its thirty-sixth session, commencing on the second day of January, nineteen hundred and five, two thirds of the members voting in favor thereof, hereby proposes that a new section be added to the Constitution of the State of California, to be known as section sixteen and one half of article eleven thereof, to read as follows:

Section 16½. All moneys belonging to the state or to any county or municipality within this state, may be deposited in any national bank or banks within this state, or in any bank or banks organized under the laws of this state, in such manner and under such conditions as may be provided by law; provided, that such bank or banks in which such moneys are deposited shall furnish as security for such deposits, bonds of the United States, or of this state or of any county, municipality or school district within this state, to be approved by the officer or officers designated by law, to an amount in value of at least ten per cent in excess of the amount of such deposit; and provided, that such bank or banks shall pay a reasonable rate of interest, not less than two per cent per annum on the daily balances therein deposited, and provided that no deposit shall at any one time exceed fifty per cent of the paid-up capital stock of such depository bank or banks, and provided further, that no officer shall deposit at one time more than twenty per cent of such public moneys available for deposit in any bank while there are other qualified banks requesting such deposits.

SENATE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NO. 40.

Chapter XLV. Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 40, a resolution to propose to the people of the State of California, an amendment to the Constitution of the state, by amending sections 2 and 23 of article four thereof, relating to the length of legislative sessions, the compensation of members of the legislature and limiting the expense of employes of the senate and assembly.

The legislature of the State of California, at its regular session, commencing on the second day of January, nineteen hundred and five, two thirds of all the members elected to each of the houses of said legislature, voting in favor thereof, hereby propose that sections two and twenty-three of article four of the Constitution of the State of California, be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 2. The sessions of the legislature shall commence at 12 o'clock M., on the first Monday after the first day of January next succeeding the election of its members, and after the election held in the year 1908, and thereafter shall be biennial, unless the governor shall, in the interim, convene the legislature by proclamation. No bill shall be introduced in either house forty days after the commencement of each session without the consent of three fourths of the members thereof.

Section 23. The members of the legislature shall receive for their services the sum of one thousand dollars each per session, to be paid at such times during the session as may be provided by law, and mileage to be fixed by law, and paid out of the state treasury, such mileage shall not exceed ten cents per mile, and contingent expenses not exceeding twenty-five dollars per member for each session.

The legislature may also provide for additional help; but in no case shall the total expense for employes, or attaches, exceed the sum of five hundred dollars (500) per day for either house, nor shall the pay of any attache be increased after he is elected, or appointed.

Also, at said election on said Tuesday, the sixth day of November, A. D. 1906, the following Amendments to the Constitution of the State of California will be voted on by the qualified electors of said State, all of which said Constitutional Amendments were duly proposed and passed by the Senate and Assembly of the State of California, in the manner required by Section One of Article Eighteen of the Constitution of the State of California, at the Thirty-sixth (Extraordinary) Session of the Legislature, beginning on the second day of June, A. D. 1906, and the Legislature at its said extraordinary session duly submitted the said following Constitutional Amendments to the people to be voted on separately by said qualified electors of the State of California, at said election, said Constitutional Amendments being prepared and designated by numbers and otherwise, as follows:

ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NO. 2.

Chapter IX. Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 2, a resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the Constitution of the State of California, amending article eleven thereof by adding thereto a new section to be numbered twenty, relating to the conferring, for the period of two years, of certain powers and rights on the city and county of San Francisco relative to streets, parks, boulevards, reservoirs, and lands now owned or hereafter acquired by it, and the uses thereof.

The legislature of the State of California, at its extraordinary session, commencing on the second day of June, nineteen hundred and six, two-thirds of all the members elected to each of the houses of said legislature voting in favor thereof, hereby propose that article eleven of the Constitution of the State of California be amended by adding a new section thereto, to be known as and numbered twenty, and to read as follows:

Section 20. For and during the period of two years from the date of the adoption hereof, the city and county of San Francisco, by ordinance adopted by a two-thirds vote of its board of supervisors and approved by its mayor, may acquire, by purchase, condemnation, or donation, lands to be used for streets, parks, boulevards, reservoirs or esplanades; and may sell, or may exchange lands now used or hereafter required by it, for streets, boulevards, reservoirs or esplanades, for other lands to be used for the same or similar purposes; and may sell or exchange for other lands to be used for the same, or similar purposes, any lands now or heretofore used by it as sites for public or municipal buildings, and may change, widen or extend the lines of its streets; and, where made necessary by the changing, widening, extension, or closing, in whole or in part, of any such streets, may change the lines or routes of any pipe, pipe lines, conduits, or wires heretofore constructed or laid under the privilege granted by Section 19 of Article XI of this Constitution by any person, firm or corporation in or upon any of such streets, and may alter the terms of any such privilege now or heretofore held or enjoyed by any person, firm or corporation, or any street so changed, widened, extended or closed, only to the extent of changing the lines or routes of any such pipe, pipe lines, conduit or wires in, upon, or across the street so closed to the street opened, established or widened by reason of such change; provided, that no lands now owned by said city and county of San Francisco shall be sold or exchanged unless such sale or exchange shall first be authorized by a majority of the voters of said city and county voting thereon, at a special election called for the purpose of such authorization, but this shall not be construed to prevent any exchange of such lands acquired by the said city and county after the date of the adoption by the legislature of the resolution submitting this amendment to the people, for street purposes as herein provided; provided, further, that no existing public park or reserve, or any part thereof, shall be sold or exchanged under the provisions hereof, and also provided that nothing in this section contained shall be so construed as to confer upon the board of supervisors any power or authority, beyond that at this date possessed by it, to extend the term or time of existence, or conditions of any privilege or franchise. In all cases proper compensation shall be allowed for all property or rights taken, acquired, or affected by such action. No property or rights shall be taken without the consent and concurrence of persons owning the same, except under the right of eminent domain and according to law. Provided, that the city and county of San Francisco, by ordinance adopted as above, may, at any time within two years from the adoption of this amendment, donate to the State of California, any lot of land now owned or hereafter acquired by said city and county as a site for the erection of a building for state officers in said city and county, or place it at said state for a term not exceeding ninety-nine years a lot for that purpose.

SENATE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NO. 2.

Chapter III. Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 2, a resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the Constitution of the state, by amending section eight of article eleven thereof, relating to the amendment, during the period of two years, of the charters of the city and county of San Francisco and the city of San Jose without ratification by the legislature.

The legislature of the State of California, at its extraordinary session, commencing on the second day of June, nineteen hundred and six, two-thirds of all the members elected to each of the houses of said legislature voting in favor thereof, hereby propose that section eight of article eleven of the Constitution of the State of California be amended by adding to said section the following:

In the city and county of San Francisco and in the city of San Jose, for and during the period of two years from the date of the adoption of this amendment, the charter of said city and county or city may be amended at any time or times by proposal or proposals therefor, submitted by the legislative authority of the said city and county or city to the qualified electors thereof, at a general or special election held at least five days after the publication of such proposal or proposals for ten days in a daily newspaper of general circulation in said city and county or city and ratified by three-fifths of the qualified voters voting thereon; which amendment or amendments when so ratified by such vote shall immediately and without subsequent approval by the legislature become and be in full force and effect, and all acts, proceedings, matters or things done, taken, adopted or performed by any public board, officer, or by any individual or person under such ratified amendments of the charter of the said city and county of San Francisco or city of San Jose shall be forever as valid and effective as though such amendment or amendments to said charter had been approved by the legislature.

SENATE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NO. 8.

Chapter VII. Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 8, a resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the Constitution of said state by amending article thirteen thereof by striking therefrom and repealing section five of said article, relative to contracts for the payment of taxes or assessments on money loaned or on mortgages, deeds of trust or other liens.

The legislature of the State of California, at its extraordinary session, commencing on the second day of June, 1906, two-thirds of all the members voting in favor thereof, hereby propose that article thirteen of the Constitution of the State of California be amended by repealing section five thereof.

Article thirteen of the Constitution of the State of California is hereby amended by striking therefrom, and repealing section five thereof, which section reads as follows:

Section 5. Every contract hereafter made, by which a debtor is obligated to pay any tax or assessment on money loaned, or on any mortgage, deed of trust or other lien, shall, as to any interest specified therein, and as to such tax or assessment, be null and void.

SENATE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NO. 12.

Chapter VIII. Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 12, a resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to Article XI of the Constitution of California, by amending section eighteen thereof, relating to the power of counties, cities, towns and townships, boards of education and school districts to incur indebtedness.

Resolved, by the senate, the assembly concurring, That the legislature of the State of California, at its special session, commencing on the second day of June, A. D. 1906, two-thirds of the members elected to each of the two houses voting in favor thereof, hereby propose that the section eighteen of Article XI of the Constitution of California be amended by adding at the end thereof the following: The city and county of San Jose and the town of Santa Clara may make provision for a sinking fund, to pay the principal of any indebtedness incurred, or to be hereafter incurred, by it, to commence at a time after the incurring of such indebtedness of not more than a period of one-fourth of the time of maturity of such indebtedness, which shall not exceed twenty-five years from the time of contracting the same. Any indebtedness incurred contrary to any provision of this section shall be void.

And we hereby offer a reward of One Hundred Dollars for the arrest and conviction of any and every person violating any of the provisions of Title IV, Part I, of the Penal Code of the State of California; such rewards to be paid until the total amount hereafter expended for the purpose reaches the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars.

In Testimony Whereof, I, Geo. C. Pardee, as governor of the State of California, have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of Said State to be affixed at the City of Sacramento, this twenty-fourth day of September, A. D. 1906.

(Great Seal of State.)

GEO. C. PARDEE,
Governor of the State of California.
Attest: C. F. CURRY,
Secretary of State.

Election Proclamation.

To whom it may concern:

KNOW YE, that pursuant to law, and the Proclamation of the Governor of the State of California, dated at the City of Sacramento on the 24th day of September, A. D., 1906, a copy of which is on file in the office of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Fresno, State of California, a General Election will be held at the respective places for voting in the several precincts throughout the County of Fresno, State of California, within the hours prescribed by law, on Tuesday, the 6th day of November, A. D., 1906, to elect in addition to the officers named in the Governor's Proclamation, the following named County, District and Township officers, to-wit:

1. Sheriff,
2. County Clerk,
3. Auditor,
4. Recorder,
5. Tax-Collector,
6. District Attorney,
7. Assessor,
8. Treasurer,
9. Superintendent of Schools,
10. Public Administrator,
11. Coroner,
12. Surveyor,
13. One Supervisor for the Fourth Supervisorial District,
14. One Supervisor for the Fifth Supervisorial District,
15. One Justice of the Peace for the First Judicial Township,
16. One Constable for the First Judicial Township,
17. One Justice of the Peace for the Second Judicial Township,
18. One Constable for the Second Judicial Township,
19. One Justice of the Peace for the Third Judicial Township,
20. Two Constables for the Third Judicial Township,
21. One City Justice for the City of Fresno,
22. One Justice of the Peace for the Fourth Judicial Township,
23. One Constable for the Fourth Judicial Township,
24. One Justice of the Peace for the Fifth Judicial Township,
25. One Constable for the Fifth Judicial Township,
26. One Justice of the Peace for the Sixth Judicial Township,
27. One Constable for the Sixth Judicial Township,
28. One Justice of the Peace for the Seventh Judicial Township,
29. One Constable for the Seventh Judicial Township,
30. One Justice of the Peace for the Eighth Judicial Township,
31. One Constable for the Eighth Judicial Township,
32. One Justice of the Peace for the Ninth Judicial Township,
33. One Constable for the Ninth Judicial Township,
34. One Justice of the Peace for the Tenth Judicial Township,
35. One Constable for the Tenth Judicial Township,
36. One Justice of the Peace for the Eleventh Judicial Township,
37. One Constable for the Eleventh Judicial Township,
38. One Justice of the Peace for the Twelfth Judicial Township,
39. One Constable for the Twelfth Judicial Township,
40. One Justice of the Peace for the Thirteenth Judicial Township,
41. One Constable for the Thirteenth Judicial Township.

And the following named persons are hereby appointed, who shall constitute and be the boards of election for the various voting precincts hereinafter named, and the house or place is hereby designated within each of said voting precincts where the election must be held, to-wit:

Auberry—Inspectors, Jery Hurly, L. J. Halbert; judges, Robert Inglehart, William R. Gibson; clerks, Gustav P. Petersen, George Cavin; ballot clerks, F. Spears, Henry Rauscher. Voting Place—Public School House.

Arion Colony—Inspectors, W. H. Hutchings, L. E. Redden; judges, Benj. P. Cutting, Robert Quails, Edw. A. Lamb; clerks, T. J. Gekenden, Geo. E. Russell; ballot clerks, Ben T. Jordan, Geo. F. Martin. Voting Place—Fresno Flume Co.'s Store.

Big Sandy—Inspectors, W. J. Heiskell, Geo. Ott; judges, W. H. Brooks, W. H. Barnes; clerks, Wesley Fraser, C. E. Tiedberg; ballot clerks, Ernest Hoskins, Joe House. Voting Place—Public School House.

Bryant—Inspectors, Geo. Martin, Isaac C. Hill; judges, D. V. Brown, Wm. Hadley; clerks, Turner O'Banion, F. B. Marks; ballot clerks, D. V. Stocking, H. P. Christianson. Voting Place—Public School House.

Caruthers—Inspectors, A. Domengine, G. Rowdish; judges, H. R. McCord, P. B. Wilson; clerks, F. C. Stillman, Wm. Pitzer; ballot clerks, F. G. Ladd, C. Diaz. Voting Place—Galgiers Residence.

Central Colony—Inspectors, Morris Seeberg, W. R. Bannister; judges, D. J. Mullins, N. J. Tensen; clerks, J. D. Foster, L. M. Tott; ballot clerks, Edwd. Theusen, W. A. Harbor. Voting Place—Orange Center School House.

Centerville—Inspectors, Cal. Macy, L. Powers; judges, A. H. Barringer, Peter Young; clerks, J. D. Douglas, O. Oliver; ballot clerks, E. L. Rock, C. A. Haywards. Voting Place—Public School House.

Crescent—Inspectors, S. T. Brown, D. C. Francis; judges, K. P. Witten, L. C. Goodell; clerks, W. H. Raney, E. Await; ballot clerks, J. W. Harrell, C. L. Adams. Voting Place—Public School House.

Chicago—Inspectors, H. O. Marshall, H. E. Adams; judges, H. G. Pedigo, E. W. Moller; clerks, A. H. Butler, E. W. Lindsey; ballot clerks, C. G. Tunquist, Henry Turk. Voting Place—Chicago Hall.

Collis—Inspectors, H. Prentice, N. F. Kelley; judges, Peter Wolf, C. E. Huyer; clerks, Bert Smith, Geo. Landers; ballot clerks, H. M. Reese, T. E. Manning. Voting Place—S. P. R. R. Co.'s Warehouse.

Clarks Valley—Inspectors, J. B. Craven, C. O. Minkler; judges, Homer A. Hadsell, Gus Peterson; clerks, Thos. Street, J. N. Phillips; ballot clerks, Tom Bates, Jos Janes. Voting Place—Frankwood School House.

Dry Creek—Inspectors, P. O. S. McMahon, J. L. Martin; judges, R. F. Gillin, J. Clark; clerks, H. C. Collins, H. J. Clark; ballot clerks, A. E. D. Scott, B. Wheeler. Voting Place—Red Banks School House.

Easterby—Inspectors, W. N. Sherman, C. Y. Reverdier; judges, H. Y. Rudy, J. L. Miley; clerks, T. Fairchild, Thos. Gray; ballot clerks, R. B. Shipp, E. H. Franz. Voting Place—Public School House.

East Fresno—Inspectors, W. D. Foote, H. M. Eddy; judges, M. Kavanough, E. W. Benfro; clerks, B. M. Stone, J. W. Scott; ballot clerks, A. M. Hersey, Everett Parsons. Voting Place—Entrance to Fair Grounds.

Fresno [illegible] Inspectors, [illegible] H. Throp, L. [illegible]; judges, V. Krikorian, P. [illegible]; clerks, E. J. Lowry, L. A. Good[illegible], [illegible] Clark, F. A. Wharton. Voting Place—Public School House.

Fowler No. 1.—Inspectors, C. E. Barnett, L. W. Pierson; judges, Sam Barnett, A. H. Dean; clerks, Ed Pugh, J. H. Hutchinson; ballot clerks, W. A. Pool, Herbert Hood. Voting Place—Justice Court Room.

Fowler No. 2.—Inspectors, G. C. Lilburn, J. K. Kennedy; judges, L. G. Hoag, V. R. Brown; clerks, W. A. Wilkins, L. C. Darling; ballot clerks, Chas. Crawford, W. L. Griffin. Voting Place—Good Templars Hall.

Fitchburg—Inspectors, J. H. Compton, C. Bell; judges, John Cottle, E. P. Ogle; clerks, L. R. Quenzel, J. E. Smith; ballot clerks, Tom Cantrell, Thos. Wallwright. Voting Place—Public School House.

Fancher—Inspectors, J. V. Davis, J. C. Martin; judges, C. E. Ellis, Alfred M. Baird; clerks, Morgan Baird, R. A. Lacy; ballot clerks, Conrad Foster, Josiah Hinle. Voting Place—Public School House.

Fresno No. 1.—Inspectors, J. A. Lane, E. E. Spinks; judges, J. C. Pottle, A. R. Clark; clerks, Geo. W. Cherry, F. E. Cook; ballot clerks, A. F. Huffman, J. A. Perrin. Voting Place—Church's Building, O & Stanislaus St.

Fresno No. 2.—Inspectors, Clarence Folk, Louis Manuel; judges, Chris Dohle, R. H. Williams; clerks, Chase Sayre, Howard Patterson; ballot clerks, O. L. Pollard, Chas. H. Reed. Voting Place—O. O. Card's Store, O & Merced Street.

Fresno No. 3.—Inspectors, A. D. Giger, J. W. Gearhart; judges, W. J. Tinnin, Alfred Williams; clerks, J. W. Meux, Fred Mortimer; ballot clerks, J. Ed Hughes, L. Hellbron. Voting Place—Fresno House.

Fresno No. 4.—Inspectors, E. B. Roust, W. O. White; judges, Sam Zetz, P. P. Sanborn; clerks, Chas. F. Doyle, Ray Baker; ballot clerks, M. Sullivan, O. F. Guthrie. Voting Place—W. D. Hill's Residence, M & Ventura St.

Fresno No. 5.—Inspectors, J. H. Hittman, J. D. Gorman; judges, Jas. Bradley, H. Ford; clerks, M. Aguirre, C. E. White; ballot clerks, J. W. Ferguson, G. H. Nishikan. Voting Place—Corner J & Ventura Streets.

Fresno No. 6.—Inspectors, Jerry Ryan, W. J. Dickson; judges, E. Birmingham, O. P. Tuller; clerks, Eugene Rahill, J. B. Best; ballot clerks, J. H. Glass, J. N. Throgmorton. Voting Place—Woodwards Store, J & Kern Streets.

Fresno No. 7.—Inspectors, H. W. Clinch, F. J. Burleigh; judges, S. F. Cowan, A. E. Ingersoll; clerks, Joe Stother, J. L. Soule; ballot clerks, Tim Walton, Leland Barton. Voting Place—City Hall.

Fresno No. 8.—Inspectors, J. N. Hostick, Eugene Anderson; judges, W. W. Eden, Clark A. Stevens; clerks, Clarence Edwards, W. A. White; ballot clerks, Claude Thompson, Al Braverman. Voting Place—Tunzi's Warehouse.

Fresno No. 9.—Inspectors, C. J. Peterson, G. B. Stroser; judges, Thos. Darone, W. G. Rollinghouse; clerks, Walter Jarvis, L. R. Melvin; ballot clerks, Mike Rowan, C. M. Chaiup. Voting Place—Truitt's Hall.

Fresno No. 10.—Inspectors, Philip Nimeler, Pat Kennelly; judges, A. W. Insby, M. Smith; clerks, Milton F. Reuves, T. Stanley; ballot clerks, Roy C. Gallaher, H. Bartunian. Voting Place—Merchants Warehouse Co.'s Warehouse.

Fresno No. 11.—Inspectors, W. R. McIntosh, Geo. W. Brooks; judges, S. L. Strother, H. W. Gilbert; clerks, J. J. Duvall, Thos. Anton; ballot clerks, W. M. Harrell, Dave Stutzman. Voting Place—

GRAFT DATES A 'WAY BACK

Archaeologist Says It Is an Ancient Evil.

In Abraham's Time the Public Service Was Marred By Dishonesty.

"Who can doubt the secret bid
Under Cheops' pyramid
Is that the contractor did
Cheops out of several millions;
Or that Joseph's sudden rise
To comptroller of supplies
Was a fraud of monstrous size
On Pharaoh's swart civilians."
—Rudyard Kipling.

CHICAGO, Oct. 31.—That graft is an institution which dates back to the time of Abraham was the conclusion of Professor Albert T. Clay, of the University of Pennsylvania, who produced photographs of archeological discoveries to uphold his theory before the American Bible League Conference at the Y. M. C. A. auditorium last night. Hammurabi, king of Shinar, and sixth king of Babylon, was the first man to uncover a grafter, according to the inscriptions which have been deciphered by experts. Just what especial form of graft was practiced in the days of old is not told in the tables which have been unearthed, but it was disclosed that Hammurabi wrote to one of his governors that bribery had been charged against an individual and asked for an investigation of the case. If he found the charge true, the governor should return the prisoner to him and also that which had been taken in bribery.

Another interesting letter of Hammurabi to one of his governors indicated that the kind had become tired of waiting a month for his regular tribute and ordered that another month be added to the calendar, to go into operation immediately, and that the tribute should be collected on the first day of the new month.

The address of Professor Clay was to demonstrate that archaeology had proved Abraham's day was not of remote antiquity, but that it belonged to a middle chapter in the written history of man and coincident with the earlier dynasties of the Babylonians.

Professor A. T. Robinson of Louisville said:

"There is no perfect science and no perfect theology. Scientific books ten years old are out of date. Evolution is undergoing evolution. There is no cause for panic yet. The cause of radical criticism is absolutely hopeless. If only one gospel is left the fact of Christ remains."

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THE GRIM REAPER

Judge Who Tried the Chicago Anarchists Died After Long Service on Bench.

CHICAGO, Oct. 31.—Judge Joseph E. Cary, one of the most well known jurists in this section of the country, who presided during the famous trial of the anarchists in 1888, died suddenly today, aged 84 years. The specific cause of death was degeneration of the heart muscles.

The judge held court as usual on Tuesday, but was not in his usual health this morning and sent word that he would not hold court. He grew steadily weaker through the day and expired quietly about 2:30 o'clock.

Judge Cary had been a member of the Cook county bench for twenty-three years, and was the oldest judge in point of service, as well as in years. He occupied a judicial position longer than any man who ever sat on the bench in this portion of the state.

Judge Cary made a national reputation at the time of the anarchist trials in 1888, over which he presided. As the presiding officer at the trial, he was repeatedly threatened with death by anarchist sympathizers and showed wonderful physical, as well as high moral courage during a very trying experience that continued for many months after the anarchists had been executed. He was born in Potsdam, N. Y., in 1821; was admitted to the bar in 1844 and practiced at Springfield, Mo., Las Vegas, N. M., and San Francisco, coming finally to Chicago in 1850. He was made a judge in 1883 and had been in the bench continuously since that time.

CHICAGO, Oct. 31.—Albert Antisel, vice-president of the American Express company, died here today of pneumonia, aged 59 years. He had been connected with the American Express company since 1863.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 31.—William Reynolds, a well known composer and musical director, died yesterday at the Lane hospital after a short illness. "The Sweetest Story Ever Told" and "Nancy Brown" are two of his most successful songs. During the coming opera season, Savage will produce Reynolds' latest opera, "Violette."

FORT SMITH, Ark., Oct. 31.—Thomas C. White, an employe of a packing company at Chicago, died on a railway train near Mulberry, Ark., early today. His home was in Greenville, Miss., and he was a member of the Mississippi immigration bureau.

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—Jule Keen, 46 years old, a famous minstrel who has been treasurer of the Buffalo Bill Wild West show during its career of twenty years, died today. Mrs. Keen died last Monday, and her husband sank steadily until the end came today.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—James D. Yeomans, formerly a member of the interstate commerce commission, died today of a complication of diseases, aged 61.

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 31.—Edward Patrick Griffith, pastor of the Catholic church at Salinas, died today at the sanitarium in Hollister of injuries received a short time ago when he tripped on the stairs of the rectory.

SENSATIONS IN VERMONT

Companies Indicted for Sale of Bad Meat.

Former Members of State Board Indicted for Selling Diseased Cattle.

BURLINGTON, Vt., Oct. 31.—Sensational charges were made today in ten indictments returned by the Chittenden county grand jury, in connection with the sale of diseased cattle in the state, and in the sale of which, according to the indictments, two former members of the state cattle commission participated, with a full knowledge that such cattle would be used for food purposes.

Four of the indictments are against the Burlington Rendering company. This company is controlled by the Consolidated Rendering company. Four indictments are against L. E. Brigham, manager of the Burlington company and are identical with those returned against the consolidated company.

The most sensational disclosures were made in the indictments returned against Dr. F. Rich, a veterinarian, of this city, and Victor L. Spear, of Randolph, both of whom were members of the state cattle commission. Spears' term expired about one year ago and he was not reappointed. Rich was removed from the commission by Governor Bell, just before the latter retired from office.

The indictments against the Consolidated company and Brigham charge the sale of diseased meat in the state and also the shipment of such diseased meat out of the state for the purpose of putting it on sale. Rich and Spear are charged with selling to the rendering companies diseased beef which they had previously condemned.

All of the defendants furnished bonds for their appearance at the March term of the Chittenden county court.

Before the grand jury reported at the morning session of the court, Judge Rowell imposed a fine of $3,000 on the Consolidated Rendering company for its failure to produce for the grand jury certain papers and memorada which had been demanded.

The defendant in contesting the charge for contempt of court proceedings, maintained that the papers had been destroyed prior to the investigation. Judge Rowell overruled the motion to disuriss the case, and imposed the fine.

In explanation of his failure to make the fine the maximum allowable under the statutes, the judge stated that, in fixing the penalty, he had in mind the fact that there are further means of punishing the company. It was learned that the Vermont law provides that a company found guilty of the charges which are pending against the Consolidated company, may be permanently prohibited from doing business in the state.

Late in the afternoon, when the grand jury appeared in court, indictments were reported against Dr. F. A. Rich of this city, and Victor L. Spear of Randolph, former members of the cattle commission. The indictments charge willful neglect of official duty, as members of the cattle commission, and it was specifically stated in the indictments that the two men sold to the Consolidated Rendering company, tubercular cattle which had been condemned by them. The cattle were sold, the grand jury finds, with the full knowledge of the commissioner that they were diseased and that they were to be used for food purposes.

Dr. Rich appeared in court and gave bail for his appearance at the March term of court.

During the afternoon counsel made arrangements with the Consolidated Rendering company and Brigham to appear at the March term of court for trial.

FIRST POINT SCORED BY AFFILIATED UNIONS

Board of Arbitration Will Consider Only Hours and Wages of United Railroads.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 31.—The affiliated unions scored first blood in their controversy with the United Railroads now being arbitrated when, at the assembling of the board of arbitration today, Chief Justice Beatty, as chairman, announced that the only questions that would be considered would be those of hours and wages.

At the first session on Tuesday the United Railroads demanded that the question of violation of contract be decided before taking up the question of hours and wages and was as strenuously opposed by the unions.

Most of the time of both of today's sessions was taken up with the testimony of witnesses for the unions and was largely confined to a comparison of rates and wages and hours of service as regards the United Railroads and other companies in this and other cities.

TYPEWRITING RECORD WON BY ROSE FRITZ, THE NEW YORK EXPERT.

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—Rose L. Fritz, of this city, who won the world's typewriting championship in Chicago last June, came out ahead in the contest at the National Business Men's Show at Madison Square Garden tonight. She wrote 2467 words from dictation in half an hour, making five errors. Of the other thirteen entrants, Paul Mutner, who defeated Miss Fritz last fall, came nearest to her record. He wrote 2406 words, but made sixty-one errors.

SENATOR DEPEW WAS SEEN AT A THEATER AND SEEMS MUCH BETTER

NEW YORK, Oct. 31—Senator Chauncey M. Depew, who recently returned from his country home to which he went from Washington cause of general breakdown of his health, appeared in public last night for the first time since last spring. Accompanied by Mrs. Depew, his son and two friends, he occupied a box at the New Amsterdam theater. The senator seemed to have entirely recovered his health, and appeared to thoroughly enjoy the performance.

TO WORK FOR GREAT WEST

Trans-Mississippi Congress and Its Plans.

Great Preparations for Seventeenth Annual Gathering at Kansas City.

KANSAS CITY, Oct. 30.—The executive committee of the Trans-Mississippi Commercial Congress held an informal meeting here yesterday to perfect plans for the seventeenth annual session of the congress to be held in Kansas City, November 20th to 23rd inclusive. It is expected that this year's meeting of the organization will be the most notable and important gathering of business men in the United States this year and that every state west of the Mississippi river will be represented.

The list of speakers who will deliver formal addresses before the congress includes many men of national prominence, as follows: Elihu Root, secretary of state; E. H. Harriman, president of the Union Pacific Railway Company; Leslie M. Shaw, secretary of the treasury; William J. Bryan; John Barrett, American minister to Colombia; John G. Carlisle; John G. Brady, ex-governor of Alaska; H. D. Loveland, president Pacific Coast Jobbers' Association, San Francisco; Joseph E. Ransdell, president National River and Harbor Association; Governors George C. Pardee of California, N. C. Blanchard of Louisiana, Frank Frantz of Oklahoma, John H. Mickey of Nebraska, E. W. Hoch of Kansas, S. H. Elrod of Dakota, Frank R. Gooding of Idaho, John A. Johnson of Minnesota, George E. Chamberlain of Oregon, J. E. McDonald of Colorado, Bryant B. Brooks of Wyoming, and Senator-elect Jeff Davis of Arkansas.

Among the United States senators who will be present are Stone and Warner of Missouri, Millard and Burkett of Nebraska, Patterson of Colorado, Dubois of Idaho, Fyles of Washington, Benson of Kansas, Smoot of Utah, while a number of others have indicated their intention of attending the congress have sent unqualified acceptances to an invitation extended by the executive committee.

The Trans-Mississippi Commercial Congress is composed of delegates appointed by commercial clubs, chambers of commerce, boards of trade and similar organizations, together with prominent business man and statesmen appointed by the governors of states. It is expected that 1500 delegates will attend this year's session, the credentials of 500 having already been received by Secretary Arthur F. Francis.

Colonel Fred W. Fleming, chairman of the executive committee, made the following statement:

"The Commercial Congress is unique among commercial organizations of the United States in having had a successful experience of sixteen years with an increasing interest during that period in its annual meetings. It has been an influential factor in developing great industrial projects for the benefit of the western country in general. The objects of the Trans-Mississippi Commercial Congress are not sectional but truly national in their character. It is intended to crystallize western sentiment along lines of commercial development, in order that the immense empire of country occupying the western half of the continent may receive its due recognition from the federal government.

"Among its most notable achievements in the past may be mentioned the national irrigation act under the provisions of which a fund of $40,000,000 has been accumulated from the sale of public lands in the arid and semi-arid inter-mountain region which is being utilized in great projects of irrigation, thus reclaiming for the use of agriculture land that had heretofore been regarded as valueless except for grazing purposes. It was instrumental in securing an appropriation of $6,500,000 for deepening the harbor at Galveston and also an appropriation for removing the bar at the mouth of the Columbia river, thus facilitating the country's export trade with Asia. The Commercial Congress has been active and influential in securing government recognition of the great expositions which have been held in the west, including the Omaha World's Fair and the Louisiana Purchase Exposition in St. Louis."

Secretary Francis reports that a most unusual interest is being manifested in this year's meeting of the congress and that the attendance of delegates from each of the twenty-four Western states and territories will be large in numbers and most representative in character. Kansas City, with its accustomed liberality, will endeavor to make the visit of this distinguished body of business men both pleasant and profitable and from all the reports at hand it is certain that the Commercial Congress this year will be a noteworthy one.

Addresses of welcome will be delivered on the opening day by United States Senators William J. Stone and William Warner of Missouri, Governors E. W. Hoch of Kansas, Joseph W. Folk of Missouri and Mayor H. M. Beardsley of Kansas City, to which responses will be made by a representative from the states. The railroads have authorized an unusually low rate for the meeting from every point between the Mississippi river and the Pacific coast.

The officers of the congress are: David R. Francis, St. Louis, president; Col. Fred W. Fleming, Kansas City, chairman executive committee; H. D. Loveland, San Francisco, vice-president; L. B. Prince, New Mexico, vice-president; N. G. Larimore, North Dakota, vice-president; H. B. Topping, Kansas City, treasurer; Tom Richardson, Oregon, vice-president executive committee; E. R. Moses, Kansas City, chairman advisory committee; Thos. B. Wilcox, Portland, chairman congressional committee.

AT OAKLAND—Timely hitting by Oakland won the game for Oakland today by a score of 6 to 2. Score:

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Oakland	000 400 101	6	8	2
San Francisco	020 000 000	2	8	2

Batteries — Reidy and Hackett; Welch and Wilson. Umpire—Perrine.

PANAMA TRIP PREPARATIONS

Battleship Louisiana Being Made Ready.

President Roosevelt Will Go on Board Tuesday After Voting.

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—The rearrangement of the officers' quarters on the battleship Louisiana for the use of President Roosevelt on his trip to Porto Rico and Panama, which work is being done at the New York yard, are being rushed with all possible dispatch at the yard, as it is the intention of Captain Couden, the commander of the Louisiana, to sail from New York for Chesapeake Bay on Sunday. President Roosevelt will go to Oyster Bay to vote next Tuesday morning, and that duty finished, will return immediately to Washington, where he will board the naval yacht Mayflower, which will take him to a point off Wolf's Light, where he will go on board the Louisiana.

Naval Constructor Baxter said yesterday that the presidential quarters, which are situated aft, will be separated from the rest of the ship by a temporary bulkhead now being placed in position, and will consist of seven state rooms and three bath rooms.

The admiral's state room will be occupied by President Roosevelt, while the captain's quarters, it is understood, will be set aside for the use of Mrs. Roosevelt. The other state rooms, consisting of the chief of staff's quarters and two others, will be occupied by other persons in the presidential party. There will be no special decorations placed in the president's quarters, nor will there be any additional furniture, beyond a few wicker chairs, lounges, etc., for use in the tropics.

The wireless apparatus on the Louisiana is being fully tested, as it is the intention of the navy department to make it possible for the president to be in touch with Washington by wireless every day he is at sea.

During the journey Captan Couden will occupy the emergency cabin on the bridge, while the other officers will be located in vacant quarters below.

The new armored cruisers Washington and Tennessee, which will accompany the Louisiana, are at the League Island navy yard, Philadelphia, and will be with the Louisiana when the president goes on board the flagship one week from tomorrow morning.

Temescal Canyon Murder Trial.

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 31.—Following the adjournment of court last night after the sensational testimony of yesterday, the preliminary hearing of Anton Benold, the butcher, charged with the shooting to death of his invalid wife in Temescal canyon last July, was adjourned until Friday.

MODISH FUR GARMENTS FROM PARIS

NOT TOO EARLY IN THE SEASON TO PROVIDE THESE COMFORTABLE AND ALWAYS BECOMING WRAPS

PARIS, Sept. 22.—"Afraid! Nonsense! Of course I'm not. Will be delighted to go—think it's the jolliest thing out. Where did you say we would make the ascent? You will motor out there at 3 tomorrow afternoon? All right. Count me in. Goodby."

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Coming suddenly into the charming little apartment of a smart Russian friend of mine the other day, I overheard the above talk over the phone. "Where on earth are you going now, Nina," I exclaimed. "Going, dear! Why, I'm not going anywhere on earth. I'm going up in the air." Seeing my mystified expression, she added: "You sedate old dear, don't think I ought to inhabit an asylum, for I'm only going up in a balloon under the most careful chaperonage. Don't you know," she continued, "that this is the latest sensation in out of door sports here in Paris? Of course you must take your nerve with you, as the slangy American says, and 'twixt you and me, I'm a bit shaky, but all the same I shall make the trip if I die with fright. All the smart Parisiennes are ballooning. Why, it will be glorious, the sensation of flying through the air. Motoring must be slow going compared with this new fad. What am I going to wear? Ah, now, I see, you are becoming interested. Let me tuck this pillow at your back, so, and I'll tell you.

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"Of course, as you can imagine, lightweight clothing is a necessity, for the balloon must carry as little weight as possible. Then a short skirt of walking length is worn for various reasons. One of these is that it is more convenient in the car, another that it is easier to get in and out of the basket in a short dress, and, again, should the car alight on top of a tree, as one of the balloons did the other day, the short skirt will be convenient for the descent. Then, you know, the place at which a balloon descends cannot always be controlled, and a walk may be in prospect at the end of the trip. So I will wear a pair of stout shoes. As to headgear, I am going to wear that smart little Virot toque I bought the other afternoon, the green and blue creation, you remember, that is so fetching. No, you don't have to put on a paff of unbecoming goggles, because there is no wind to contend with, and you don't wear a veil, for there is no dust and no grit as on a motoring expedition. I am going to take an extra wrap in case it should be cold—just my regular three-quarters length auto coat.

"Now, then, when some one invites you to go 'up in a balloon' one of these lovely autumn days you will immediately rush into duplicates of the togs I have described. 'You wouldn't go for worlds?' Oh, yes, you will. Everybody does."

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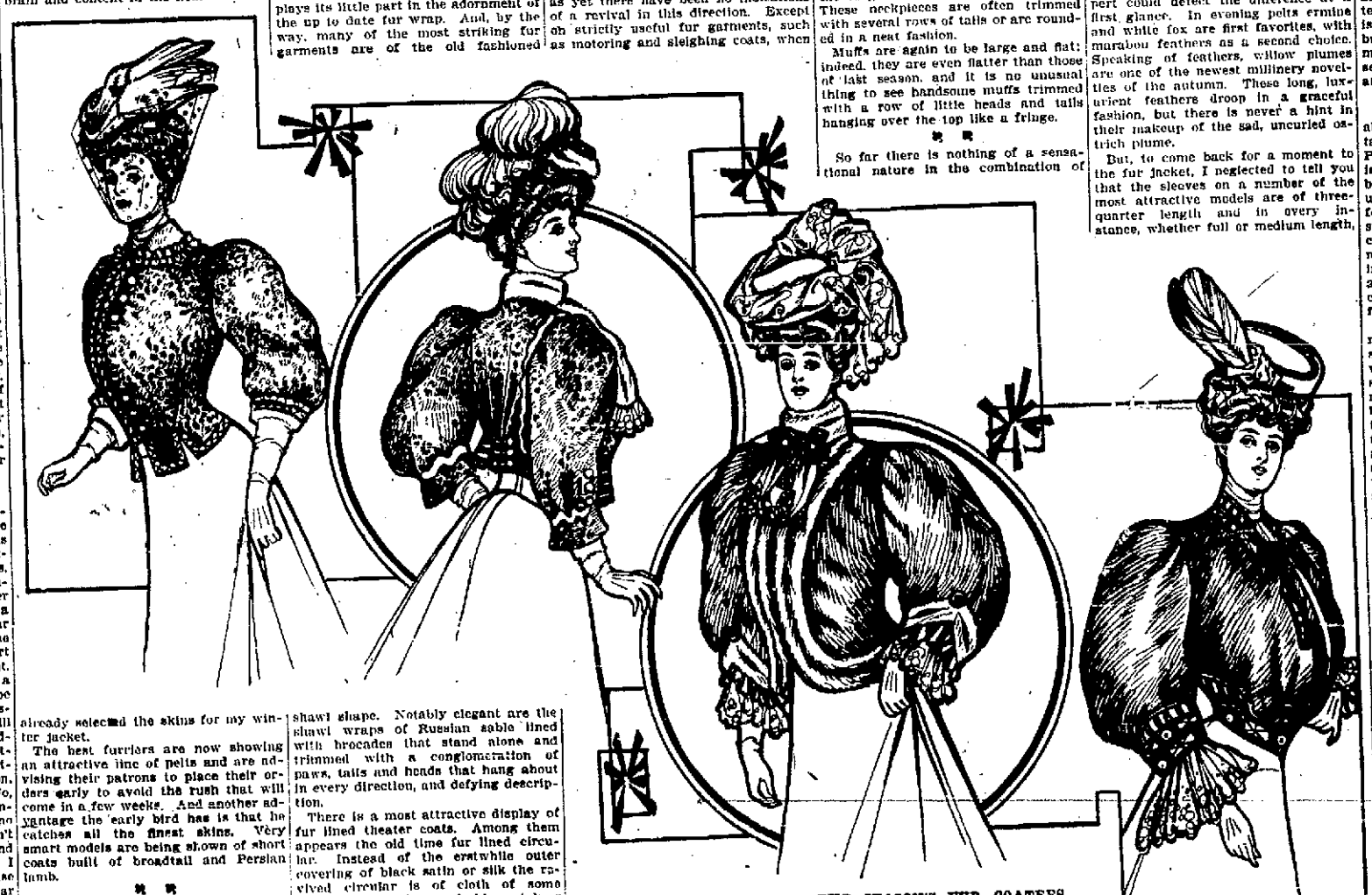
But, to talk of more commonplace things than ballooning, have you seen the new furs of the season? They are perfectly alluring, and as "forethought is coin in the pocket, quiet in the brain and content in the heart" I have already selected the skins for my winter jacket.



ADVANCE MODELS OF THE SEASON'S FUR COATEES.

The best furriers are now showing an attractive line of pelts and are advising their patrons to place their orders early to avoid the rush that will come in a few weeks. And another advantage the early bird has is that he catches all the finest skins. Very smart models are being shown of short coats built of broadtail and Persian lamb.

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In these natty jackets there are decided evidences of empire influences. And other attractive models are built along the lines of the close fitting short hip length coates with the basque tail cut into battlemented squares. These squares are often trimmed with black braid in which glints a thread of gold. The same trimming is used about the neck and down the fronts of the coat, put on in a fanciful design. Again the smart new fur coat boasts collar and cuffs of velvet ornamented with oriental embroidery and handsome large buttons. Lace of a heavy variety also plays its little part in the adornment of the up to date fur wrap. And, by the way, many of the most striking fur garments are of the old fashioned shawl shape. Notably elegant are the shawl wraps of Russian sable lined with brocades that stand alone and trimmed with a conglomeration of paws, tails and heads that hang about in every direction, and defying description.

There is a most attractive display of fur lined theater coats. Among them appears the old time fur lined circular. Instead of the erstwhile outer covering of black satin or silk the revived circular is of cloth of some dainty color such as pale blue, pink or white elaborately embroidered and finished with a mink or chinchilla collar. The fur lining the wrap has no reference to the collar, which is generally of some inexpensive pelt, either squirrel or moleskin, which are the prettiest skins for this purpose.

The debutante of the coming winter will revel in this circular cape as a protection for her dainty ball costumes, as well as for other and less smart occasions.

Rumors are abroad that Medici collars are to be again fashionable, but as yet there have been no indications of a revival in this direction. Except on strictly useful fur garments, such as motoring and sleighing coats, when its presence is perfectly justified, the rumored return of the Medici has not come to pass.

Stoles and cravats still retain their deserved popularity, and there is certainly nothing smarter as a finish for a stunning costume than one of these little neckpieces. The "shoulder throw," though, is a thing of the dead, dead past, and the swagger way to manipulate the small cravat ends is to loop them directly under the chin allowing the lengths to fall to the waist line. These neckpieces are often trimmed with several rows of tails or are rounded in a neat fashion.

Muffs are again to be large and flat; indeed, they are even flatter than those of last season, and it is no unusual thing to see handsome muffs trimmed with a row of little heads and tails hanging over the top like a fringe.

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So far there is nothing of a sensational nature in the combination of skins, and there is every indication that variety will be arrived at by means of diversities of cut and novel trimming schemes. Silvered fox, mink and stone marten stoles and muffs are among the especially tempting items to purchasers who cannot afford sables or the almost equally extravagant baum marten. In one of the Rue Royale shops there is a set of baum marten that resembles the richest Russian skins in coloring and texture so closely that I doubt whether an expert could detect the difference at a first glance. In evening pelts ermine and white fox are first favorites, with marabou feathers as a second choice. Speaking of feathers, willow plumes are one of the newest millinery novelties of the autumn. These long, luxurient feathers droop in a graceful fashion, but there is never a hint in their makeup of the sad, uncurled ostrich plume.

But, to come back for a moment to the fur jacket, I neglected to tell you that the sleeves on a number of the most attractive models are of three-quarter length and in every instance, whether full or medium length, the sleeve is only moderately large, the fullness being placed at the shoulder.

A famous dressmaker here at the hub of fashions when interviewed regarding the manche question said that all women who aim at smartness will wear short sleeved gowns. Of course where physical infirmities or ill health prohibited a display of pretty pink arms a wrinkled cuff of some thin material would be added. The new sleeve is exceedingly puffed at the shoulder, but does not stand out in an aggressive manner. The object of the designer seems to be to follow the curve of the arm.

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An entire letter could be written about the charm of the cloths which take on a charming velvet finish. Prunella, a fabric very like broadcloth, is modish this fall and many of the best couturieres are looking with favor upon rep, and the old fashioned Bedford cord weave is meeting with great success as a material for afternoon costumes. Velvets, too, were never more attractive in their colorings, and in the new blues and wine nuances they are lovely. Velveteen in the latest chiffon finish is to be much in evidence for dressy suits.

Quantities of silk will be worn—messalines, satin radiums and fine satin finished taffetas—but the latest wrinkle is a pronounced fad for black silks, the variety known as grandmother silks. This is a soft taffeta brocaded with small figures. Something mighty fetching in a silken crapy fabric imitates in its weave elaborate needlework, such as shirring, tucking and the like. It is wonderfully attractive and comes in the most fascinating shades. CATHERINE TALBOT.

Belt Novelties.

The most striking thing about the belt display this fall is the prominence of steel in the general scheme. Fully three out of five of the handsomest belts are beautified with steel and steel beads, or paillettes are used upon the girdles of silk as well as upon those of leather. Wide girdles of silk elastic which in black and white were so very popular are now offered in all the modish shades. The corded silk elastic has the effect of highly lustrous corded ribbon and takes the colors beautifully. Large, flat buckles hold the girdle to its full width in the back, but the front buckle is usually much smaller.

Devoted to the Powder Puff.

The Cuban woman, octogenarian as well as "sweet seventeen," considers powder a more necessary article of the toilet than soap and water and utterly indispensable to her attractiveness, which it is her absolute duty to preserve. All classes of the community are devoted to the powder puff, from the little six-year-old orphan in the asylum to the lady of high degree. In any Cuban school, teachers and pupils are alike unsparingly powdered, and a powder box is to be found in every desk, and, as likely as not, keeping company with the chalk used for the blackboard.

SAN JOAQUIN NAVIGATION

Concerted Movement For Improving the River.

Chamber of Commerce Will Hold Special Meeting to Consider Subject.

The Chamber of Commerce last night took up the matter of joining an association of the commercial organizations of the San Joaquin valley for the purpose of making a demand for the extension of the navigability of the San Joaquin river. The action was taken in answer to a letter received from the Stockton Chamber of Commerce. The letter states that the president of the National Rivers and Harbors Congress, Congressman J. E. Ransdall, has visited Stockton and after viewing the situation, advised the Stockton chamber to enter a campaign for better navigation facilities. The National Rivers and Harbors Congress is an organization for the purpose of securing a larger proportional appropriation for the improvement of waterways. The communication urges the local chamber to join the congress and offers to send a representative to Fresno to discuss plans for a campaign.

After the reading of the letter, A. L. Redlick asked if the subject could not be put in the hands of some committee. "This is an important matter," said Mattingly, "and I don't think it should be given over to the hands of some committee to be put to sleep. I have been greatly interested in this proposition and it has been several years since there has been much agitation. I move that the next regular meeting on Nov. 14th, be given over especially to this matter and a representative from Stockton be asked to attend." The motion was carried and the secretary was instructed to canvass the membership so that a large attendance for the meeting could be secured.

Rev. J. M. Gillespie and Dr. Boyd were present at the meeting in the interest of the state Sunday School Association convention, to be held here in the latter part of April. Mr. Gillespie stated that he would like to be assured of the co-operation of the chamber in entertaining the visitors. He asked especially that the chamber assist in arranging excursions throughout the county to places of interest during the convention. Suggestions for souvenir badges were also asked for. A motion was carried that the chamber give its hearty support to the convention.

A communication from the committee in charge of the Trans-Mississippi congress, to be held in Kansas City on Nov. 20th, was read. The chamber is entitled to one delegate for each forty members, and the letter urged a large attendance, so that the Western states could prevent the delegates of the East from assigning the next convention to Jamestown, Virginia. The secretary was instructed to canvass for delegates to this convention. Another communication from the California Promotion Committee was read, which asked for a delegate at the Santa Barbara convention.

An application from M. D. Herman for membership was granted and the resignation of Lee Wells was turned over to the membership committee. Those members present last night were Messrs. Hobbs, Mattingly, Redlick and Gunsenninger.

Civilization Spreads in Spain.

MADRID, Oct. 31.—The cabinet has decided to introduce a bill with the object of ameliorating the conditions of women and children who are compelled to work for a living.

THE RAISIN SITUATION

Examiner Reviews High Price Conditions.

Net Returns to the Grower Greater than in Any Previous Year.

The San Francisco Examiner of yesterday's date contains in connection with its market news a lengthy write-up of the raisin situation under the heading, "California Raisins." The article is in part as follows:

"The season just closing has been the most successful ever experienced by the raisin men of California, as not only have the prices been eminently satisfactory, but the season has been one of the most favorable ever known for curing the crop. At no time since the grape picking began has the weather been other than the most favorable, so that every pound of the crop has been saved, a condition that has not prevailed in this state for many years.

Early in the season one of the biggest crops ever harvested in this state was confidently predicted by both growers and packers, and based upon this statement a considerable quantity was sold early in the season at from 3c to 3½c per pound net to the growers in the sweatbox. The packers, appreciating the efforts necessary to successfully handle a crop of this size, made prices to the trade commensurate with the size of the crop and the prices at which they expected to buy the goods later.

Owing to the great damage to the European crop, just as they had begun to pick the same, the demand from Canada, Europe and New York was so heavy that prices advanced rapidly. The packers, seeing that it was impossible to supply the demand at prices based upon those named by them at the beginning of the season, advanced their asking prices and in turn increased the figures they were paying the growers, with the result that within a short time the market in the San Joaquin valley had advanced from 3½c to 4c per pound, and the latter part of the crop was marketed at $100 per ton, a record-breaking price.

While years ago possibly a higher average gross price was received by the growers, the expense of cultivating and curing the crop was much greater than it is today, so that the net returns were less than those of this year. Now that the crop is entirely cured it is known that it will not exceed fifty thousand tons, while most packers estimate it at forty-five to forty-six thousand. Of this quantity probably less than one per cent today remains in the hands of the growers and but few packers have any stock in excess of the business booked. While it is believed most handlers of raisins have made a legitimate packing and selling profit, much of the business was done based upon buying goods lower than they were actually able to do, and for that reason it is thought the grower has received more nearly the price paid by the jobber than in any previous year.

In discussing the future outlook for raisins, L. L. Gray, a leading Fresno raisin packer, was very optimistic and stated that in his opinion the low prices of a few years ago would never again prevail, and gave many good reasons why he believed so. The wide introduction of seeded raisins has increased the consumption of the fruit to an extent that can hardly be appreciated by one not fully conversant with the business. There is no city in the United States, practically no town of any prominence, where these goods are not used in from two to three times the quantity that was the case when the raisins were marketed in their natural condition, unseeded. California has invented a method for seeding and processing the fruit, which, though it has been attempted in Europe, has never been equaled and today our raisins find ready market all over the world, coming into competition with the finest Spanish goods, which, though they are sometimes seeded, do not retain their appearance or flavor one-tenth as long as those from our far-famed state.

The dependencies of England and Germany in the Orient and elsewhere are large consumers of the product, while Canada is taking increased quantities every year. The margin between the producer and the consumer is now so slight that the poorest paid worker can secure raisins at such a low price that they are not the luxury they were a year ago, and the fact that the factory hands and mine workers of the world are today large consumers of the article is proof of the wisdom displayed by the handlers of the product here.

Ladies of the Parlor Lecture club will hold a rummage sale Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week. Anyone who wishes to contribute, telephone Mrs. J. R. Austin, 1436 K St. *

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MILL MEN'S HALLOWE'EN

A Merry Time at Union Social Last Night.

Refreshments, Music and Addresses Passed the Pleasant Evening.

The union hall presented an animated scene last night when the union millmen held an old-time Hallowe'en gathering, with plenty of jolly games, merry songs, instrumental music, and a substantial table of refreshments. The members had a number of friends present at the social, but before they opened their doors a short business session was held. Five new members were admitted. They are named Giles, Sinnott, Carlson, Stonewood and Peterson.

The regular weekly business meeting was hurried through with all possible speed and the millmen then settled down to a good night's fun. While many of the features on the improvised program were devoted to the lighter vein of entertainment, there were also a number of addresses of an instructive kind, bearing upon matters affecting the union millmen, and union topics generally. The speakers were Robert Lochead, Joe Myers, Tom Seaward, Adam Baird, Duncan James and one or two others.

Lochead gave an earnest little talk on the work of the millmen, and spoke of their accomplishments since their last gathering on Hallowe'en one year ago. He also contributed later to the program of entertainment. Joe Myers and Duncan James also took part in the program after addressing the meeting on topics of moment. Adam Baird delivered a brief talk, and used up his remaining energy in the recitation of an original poem, with a few Scottish ballads and plantation songs thrown in to fill up lulls.

An interesting contributor to the night's entertainment was John Braves, who presided as chairman by request. Braves is an Armenian and one of the leading men in the colony, despite the fact that he has been in this state for but a comparatively short time. Educated at the Armenian college in Constantinople and speaking English with fluency, he incurred the distrust of the oppressors of his people, and saw many of his relatives massacreed, while narrowly escaping a like fate himself. After having his little patrimony confiscated and being chased from a little village in which he was visiting seven years ago, he managed to escape and worked his way to this country after passing through Europe. On his arrival he went to Rochester, N. Y., and started to work as a cabinet maker, a trade in which he had perfected himself in his boyhood. He came here one year ago. By thrift and industry the young man saved and scraped together enough money to send for some of his relatives, and has now the satisfaction of seeing his surviving family connections with him, safe from persecution or danger.

When called upon to deliver a talk, Braver was at a loss for a subject, but after a pause, gave a vivid address on his early struggles and the horrors of the bloody massacres in his native land at the hand of the Turk. The words of young Braver were well chosen and earnest, carrying a ring of pathos and sincerity throughout. His concluding remarks brought forth a storm of applause.

"When we landed," he said, "I was a stranger; yet I was happy. Others had their dear ones to greet them, and I had none; but I was filled with an indescribable wild, delirious, and buoyant joy, for was I not free? You, whose grand heritage is freedom and the share of a beautiful birthright of power, can know little of what I felt; but if happiness can come without alloy at any moment in a man's life, I was that man, and the happiness was my coming to this free country."

Braves, by the way, is the author of a published book of poems which have a circulation in the Armenian language, and is a contributor to the New York Armenian Journal. He is a member of the union branch of this city and is regarded as one of its most enthusiastic craftsmen.

Tom C. Seaward spoke of the union button and the manner in which the wives and children of union men may help the movement along by demanding the button to be worn by salesmen of any marketable commodities which they may buy. He also spoke of the harmony which should prevail among the large union fraternity and the necessity for their unity in things other than the mere matters of hours and wages.

ATHLETIC DIRECTOR MAKES A REPORT

Y. M. C. A. Classes Are Very Largely Attended.

Yesterday being the close of the month, Physical Director Fee of the Young Men's Christian Association made up a report for the directors of the work that had been done in his department. Part of this is of interest to the general public, and especially to the patrons of the association, as showing the active work that is being done.

During the month sixty-six sessions of various classes were held. There were 130 men enrolled and 99 boys. The total attendance in classes was: Men, 718; boys, 816; total number attending athletic exercises at any time during the month, 1685. Average daily attendance, 62.5.

The attendance has been much larger than during the corresponding month last year, when there were about 400 in all. A new feature of the athletic exercises this year is the use of music.

This evening at 7:30 o'clock all those who are interested in basket ball will meet for the purpose of organization. A very successful season is anticipated, as there is much enthusiasm.

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CAMPAIGN WIND-UP

Republican Meetings Arranged for the Week.

Short and Harris Will Speak in Armory Hall on Saturday Night.

This is the home stretch for those who are seeking office, and a busy week it will be for the candidates. Every night up to the time of election there will be "something doing."

Three meetings have been arranged for tonight. For one thing, an excursion has been arranged to run to Coalinga, for the benefit of the candidate. Leland Burton will lead the Sixth Regiment band, and District Attorney Jones, W. A. Sutherland and Judge H. F. Briggs will speak.

A gathering of voters will take place this evening in Scandinavian colony, where the meeting will be addressed by Attorneys J. P. Bernhard and H. E. Barbour.

Another Republican meeting is to be held this evening at Laton, the second of the campaign. Frank Short will speak and also Ernest Klettie.

Tomorrow night a big meeting is to be held at Easton, in Washington colony. Frank Short will make the principal address, and will get a rousing reception, as his addresses at that place have been the feature of Republican campaigns for years.

Saturday night will come the close of the campaign in Fresno. Frank Short and M. B. Harris will be the speakers, and the crowd will gather in Armory hall, it being impossible to get the opera house, on account of the theater engagement.

W. H. Shafer of Selma will preside at the meeting. The band will furnish music and everything will be done to make this a grand windup to the campaign. Frank Short will close the campaign at Sanger next Monday evening.

Today M. B. Harris leaves for Stockton to speak with Needham at the congressman's last big meeting in the slough city. Needham spoke last night at Coalinga.

On Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock there will be a meeting of the executive committee of the Republican county central committee in this city. All the candidates on the county ticket are expected to be present.

OUT AFTER QUAIL.

The local hunters left town by the score last night to be on hand when the quail season opens this morning. Reports from the country indicate that the sport will be especially fine for the first few days of the season as the coveys are numerous this year. The ball players are planning a hunting party for next Monday.

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Today we give Fresno men a chance to own one of the best $12.50 suit values ever shown in the town.

We have just received a new invoice of suits that were built to sell for $15 to $17.50.

The man who made them would be mightily surprised to see them sold for $12.50—such a thing has never been done with the garments he makes; they always sell readily at full price. We, however, are starting the month with a determination to sell more clothing than ever before in November and these $12.50 suits representing the opening of the campaign. They may be had in blue serges, in fine worsteds and in fancy cheviots, in the very newest of colors and patterns, single or double breasted coats, long cut, interlined; no breaking down or sagging at the sides; peg top trousers. Suits that are the very limit of good taste and good styles. Come and choose and pay but $12.50.

75c BELTS, 49¢

Leather belts; made of good leather in a fast black dye; all sizes, rich gilt buckle; a number of good styles to select from.

Redlick's

1563 Belts Worth From 35c to $1 Choice For 29c

This is one of the best belt purchases we have made this year. We took over 3000 belts from one maker, got them at a special price of course, and we are making a special price on them. One half the quantity was sent to our Bakersfield store, the other half is on sale today.

All leather belts worth from 35c to $1.00. Choice for **29c.**

We shall also show today all silk belts, worth from 50c to $1.50, and you may choose for 39c.

$10 Walking Skirts $8.50

If the saving of a dollar and a half on a skirt that would be cheap at $10 to $12 is an inducement, then the skirt seeking women will be out in force today.

They are made in the new shadow plaids, double box plaits, in front back and sides, making the skirt extra full. Trimmed in folds and buttons to match. All sizes.

Fur Scarfs $1.49.

Black or brown Coney fur. A very neat neck scarf finished with six tails and fastened with a chain. It's fur on both sides.

$1.50 Gowns $1.35.

A very handsome Daisy flannel gown, full cut and nicely finished; fancy braid yoke; collar and cuffs to match; extra full cut.

Cash Boys Wanted, Permanent Positions, Apply to Superintendent

These Extra Specials For Prudent Women

Notice how desirable these specials are; how frequently you have use for them, and then you will appreciate the thoughtfulness of the store that puts these saving chances in your way.

14c Bleached Bath Towels ..... **10¢**
10c Tennis Flannel, yard ..... **8 1-3¢**
12 1-2c Old Fashion Vicuna Flannel, yard ..... **10¢**
20c Famous Superfine Flannel, yard ..... **15¢**
$2.00 Bate's Bedspreads **$1.50**
50c Fringed Napkins, doz. ..... **35¢**
90c Cotton Blankets, each ..... **65¢**
$2.00 Fine Comforters **$1.50**
$2.75 Ecrue Lace Curtains **$2.00**
20c Foster's Fine Denims ..... **15¢**
50c Ecru Bobbinett, yard **35¢**
$1.00 Table Linen, yard **85¢**
50c Oakland Damask, yard ..... **35¢**
75c Dice pattern Napkins, doz. ..... **50¢**

Men's Shirts 55¢.

A good golf shirt for 55c is not often encountered. These are the regular 75c shirts from our own stocks. The price has been lowered to increase the selling, that's all.

$1.25 Underwear 85¢.

For women. Today only. Fine Jersey ribbed union suits, made extra strong and with covered seams; gray only; high neck, long sleeves; ankle length pants.

Toilet Specials.

Mennens' Talcum Powder ..... **15¢**
Colgate's Talcum Powder ..... **15¢**
Rubifoam, bottle ..... **20¢**
Sozodont, bottle ..... **19¢**
Pear's Soap, cake ..... **19¢**
William's Shaving Soap, 3 bars ..... **10¢**
Roger Fil's Face Powder, box ..... **23¢**

Good Sheets 59¢.

A 9-4 size; a bed sheet of great strength; made of firm, white muslin; hand torn and ironed; full bleached; no seams; no dressing to give it weight; a sheet worth 75c each; here today for 59c.

Rubbers For Wet Weather.

We have a complete assortment now and our prices are right. These are all fresh goods. Not held over from last season.

Women's storm rubbers, pair ..... **49¢**
Women's Sandal Rubbers, pair ..... **59¢**
Men's Storm Rubbers, pair ..... **59¢**

Many Pillow Tops 25¢.

We are closing out the surplus stocks. There are nearly a thousand to select from. All new and clever ideas. Come and choose for 25c.

Special—Special.

Women's Home Journal style books are now **10¢** and **15¢.** No higher.

Du Barry Scarfs $1.73.

They are worth $2.50. The new idea. Pretty floral patterns; 3 yards long, solid colors in white, pink or blue.

INFANT'S CAPS

A full line here now. Good news for mothers who have been awaiting their arrival. Caps or bonnets; a wide choice and in every price from 50c to $5.00.

Dress Goods of the Right Kind and Every Yard Underpriced

Our dress goods section is one of the busiest spots in this store, and it is the giving of values like these that makes it so. These are all new weaves, and rightly priced you may be sure.

36 inch Cashmere, extensively used for children's school dresses, in a wide range of colors; 35c goods; yard **25¢**
Fancy mixed suitings, neat patterns, 36 inch material; colors, red, brown, navy, gray, stripes or checks; 65c goods; yard ..... **49¢**
Granites—the nice weave for fall suitings; 38 inches wide; colors, brown, navy, black, dark red; 65c materials, for yard ..... **48¢**
Mercerized Panama Waistings in newest plaid effects, heavy cloth fabric that is thoroughly scoured with soap and water before leaving the mill; thereby guaranteeing the fast colorings; 50c value at, yard ... **35¢**
Sunshine Satin, for underskirts and linings; high finish and soft as silk; 36 inches wide. Comes in black and cream only; the black will not rub off and is perspiration proof; a 50c value at, yard ..... **35¢**
36 inch Albatross, an all wool waisting or suiting; in all colors, red, blue, brown, pink and cream; an excellent 65c seller at, yard ..... **48¢**

Grocery News

Our bakery department is turning out the finest quality of bread and pastry ever known in the town, and at very reasonable prices.

It's our own plant, operated by us, so that we know everything that goes into the bread and pastry we sell is of the finest quality.

Home-made Doughnuts, doz. ..... **8¢**
Fresh Bread, 4 loaves ... **10¢**
Fancy Ripe Bananas, doz ..... **23¢**
Carnation Mush, pkg. .. **25¢**
Fancy Japan Rice, 4 lbs. **25¢**
Clear Lake String Beans, 2 cans ..... **25¢**
Alaska Salmon, can .... **10¢**
Eastern Mackerel, 3 for **25¢**
Cod Fish, lb. ..... **10¢**
Fancy Bloaters, each .... **4¢**
Peanut Butter, large jar **28¢**
Imported Swiss Cheese, lb. ..... **33¢**

Meat News

We have just increased our cold storage plant——doubled the size of the engine and the pipes; bettered it so that the meat would be better.

We are selling the very finest of meats at the lowest possible price, and we certainly have the cleanliest and most sanitary shop in the town.

Shoulder Rib Steaks, lb.. **8¢**
Shoulder of Mutton, lb... **8¢**
Veal Stew, lb. ..... **8¢**
Shoulder Roast Veal, lb. **10¢**

MEN'S SHOES, $2.50

The strongest lines of $2.50 shoes for men sold in Fresno. Shoes that are worth every cent of the price and that will give exceptional service; shoes in kid or calf skin; light or heavy soles. All leathers for all weathers.

$30 Suits $21.75

Not many of them, not over a dozen, but they are remarkably handsome and worth securing.

Some ultra stylish garments that have just reached us. These suits were used by the makers as illustrations of the goodness of their product. They are extra well made, very carefully tailored and fit perfectly. They are in hard twisted worsteds that will not spot and will give long service. Mixed suitings and broadcloths. Some are in the Norfolk jacket style in invisible checked patterns, plaited skirt and velvet trimmed.

Others in Blouse Etons of broadcloth, Pony Jacket suits in fancy mixtures, and the very latest models in skirts.

We shall sell this dozen suits at the special price of $21.75, and we may not be able to repeat the offer again this season.

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